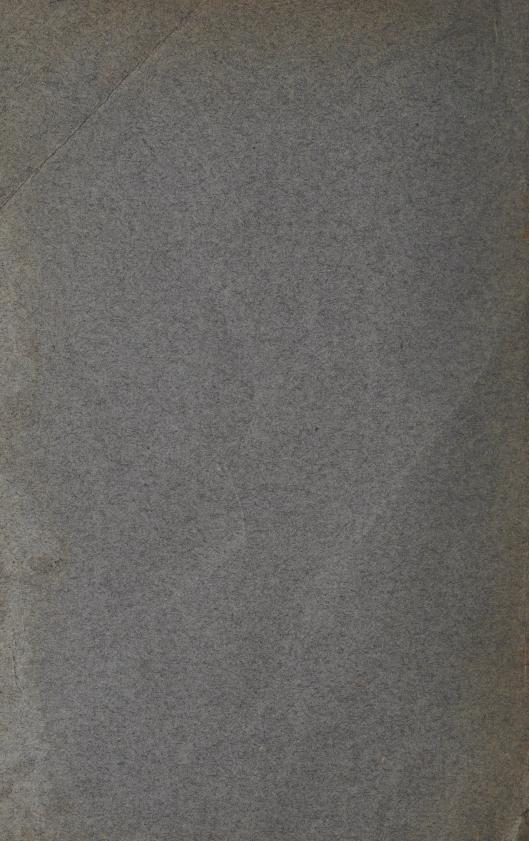


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For amount of assessment upon each parish see last part of Journal.

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- 2. For Diocesan Missions:
 - (a) Archdeaconry of Buffalo, Secretary, the Rev. N. W. Stanton, 401 Dearborn Ave., Buffalo.
 - (b) Archdeaconry of Rochester, Treasurer, A. C. Walker, 21 State Street, Rochester.

III. SPECIAL OFFERINGS:

- 1. For Christmas Fund: Treasurer, E. C. Denton, 232 Powers Building, Rochester.
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*Messrs. Williams and Rankine were elected by an equal number of votes.

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The Rev. George G. Ballard,
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OF THE PROVINCIAL SYNOD. The Rev. J. W. D. COOPER.

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A. C. WALKER,
J. L. HUMPHREY,

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For two years: WM. B. FARNHAM. Term expires 1919.

HARPER SIBLEY, Term expires 1920.

E. C. DENTON, 232 Powers Bldg., Rochester.

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For one year: Henry B. Graves, James E. Brown. Terms expire 1918.

For two years: Arthur P. Rose, John W. Mellen. Terms expire 1919.

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The Rev. CAMERON J. DAVIS.

The REV. JOHN C. WARD,

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TRUSTEES.

| First elected. | Term expires. |
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| 1900 The REV. PHILIP W. MOSHER | Jan. 1, 1919 |
| 1906DE LANCEY RANKINE | Jan. 1, 1919 |
| 1900HENRY C. HODGES | Jan. 1, 1919 |
| 1905The Rev. Pierre Cushing | Jan. 1, 1920 |
| 1910The Rev. Eugene J. Babcock | Jan. 1, 1920 |
| 1917WILLIAM A. MORGAN | Jan. 1, 1921 |
| 1902John K. Walker | Jan. 1, 1921 |
| 1899Porter Norton | Jan. 1, 1921 |

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The Rev. P. W. Mosher, Secretary, Niagara Falls. The Rev. E. J. Babcock, Treasurer, Lockport.

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List of Clergy wtih Cures

May 15, 1917

BISHOP.

PRIESTS.

- [(B.) Archdeaconry of Buffalo. (R.) Archdeaconry of Rochester.] The Revs.:
 - Abbott, F. W., (B.), in charge of St. Thomas' Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 53 Ashland Ave., Buffalo.
 - Aitkins, F. E., (B), Rector St. Andrew's Church, Buffalo. Residence, 166 Goodell St., Buffalo
 - Allison, Charles R., (R), Rector, Trinity Church Rochester Monroe County. Residence, 45 Jones Ave.
 - Ashley, A. Sprague, (R.), Rector, Christ Church, Hornell, Steuben County. Ayres, George W. S., (B.), Archdeacon. Residence, 427 Wohlers Ave., Buffalo.
 - Barrows, William S., (B.), Head Master, De Veaux College, Niagara Falls, Niagara County.
 - Benford, W. H., (R.), Rector, St. John's Church, Sodus, St. Luke's Church, Sodus Center, and Christ Church, Sodus Point, Wayne County.
 - Bennett, Emund, (B.), Rector, St. Phillip's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 47 Elm Street.
 - tBenton, W. DeL., D. D., (B.), Rector, Trinity Church, Fredonia, Chautauqua County.
 - Bouck, F. N., (R.), Rector, St. James' Church, Watkins, Schuyler County.
 - Bray, Kenneth A., (R.), Rector, St. Peter's, Geneva, Ontario County.
 - Brittain, Alfred, (R.), Rector, St. James' Church, Batavia, Genesee County.
 - Broughton, Charles D., (R.), Rector, Ascension, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 24 Linwood Ave.
 - Buisch, Louis, (B.), Rector St. John's Church, Wellsville, Allegany
 - Burge, Frederick W., (B.), Rector, St. Peter's Church, Westfield, Chautauqua County.

- Burleson, John K., D. D., (R.), Curate St. Paul's Church, Rochester, Monroe County. Residence, 43 Columbus Street.
- Burrill, E. P., (R), Rector, St. Luke's Church, Brockport, Monroe County, and St. Paul's Church, Holley, Orleans County.
- Burrows, G. Sherman, (B.), Rector, S. Mark's Church, North Tonawanda, Niagara County.
- Compton, W. C., (R.), Rector, Church of the Ascension, Rochester, Monroe County. Residence, 7 Burke Terrace.
- Cooper, J. W. Denness, (R.), Rector, S. Michael's Church, Geneseo, Livingston County.
- Cosbey, Edward, (B.), in charge of Church of the Advent, Kenmore Erie County.
- Cosbey, James, (B.), Rector, Church of the Good Shepherd, Buffalo, Erie County. Res. 96 Jewett Avenue.
- Cowley-Carroll, Hubert, (B.), Rector, St. Stephen's Church, Olean, Cattaraugus County.
- Cushing, Pierre, (R.), Rector, S. Mark's Church, Le Roy (P O.), and Minister, S. Paul's Church, Stafford, Genesee County.
- Davis, Cameron, J., (B.), Rector, Trinity Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Res., 449 Delaware Ave. Office, 371 Delaware Ave.
- Davis, William L., (R.), Archdeacon. Residence, 42 Canfield Place. Rochester, Monroe County.
- de Mauriac, Henry de Wolfe, (B.), Rector, St. Matthias' Church, East Aurora, Erie County.
- Dowling, G. T., D.D., (R.), Rector, Christ Church, Pittsford, Monroe County.
- Evans, Samuel, (B.), Rector, St. Alban's Church, Silver Creek, Chautauqua County.
- Farland, Z. S., (R.), Rector, Christ Church, Corning, Steuben County. Feary, F. W., (R.), Rector, St. Mark's Church, Newark, Wayne County.
- Ferris, D. L., (R.), Rector, Christ Church, Rochester, Monroe County-Residence, 325 Park Ave.
- †Gairdner, James C, (R.), Rector, St. James' Church, Rochester, Monroe County. Res., 20 Grant St.
 - Gaviller, George H., (B.). Rector, All Saints' Church, Buffalo, Erie County, Res., Linwood Ave. and Ferry St.
 - Gaylord, Herbert L., Ph. D., (R.), Rector, S. John's Church, Canandaigua, Ontario County.
 - Goodwin, Wm. A. R., D.D., (R.), Rector, St. Paul's Church, Rochester, Monroe County. Res., 65 Barrington St.
 - Gove, Curtiss C., (R.), Rector, S. Michael's Church, and Head Master, Cary Collegiate School, Oakfield, Genesee County.

Not present at Council.

- Hakes, Charles W., M. D., (R.), Rector, St. Peter's Memorial Church, Dansville, Livingston County.
- Herendeen, James H., (B.), Rector, St. Paul's Church, Angelica, Allegany County; and Minister-in-charge of Grace Church, Belfast.
- Hoffman, Paul B., (B.), Curate, Church of the Holy Communion, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 626 East Utica St.
- Hubbs, John B., D. D., D. C. L., (R.), Chaplain, Hobart College, Geneva, Ontario County.
- Idle, Harry, (R.), Curate, S. Luke's Church, Rochester. Residence, 154 Shelter St.
- Irish, George M., (B.), Rector, Trinity Church, Lancaster, Erie County. Isherwood, Percy, (R.), Rector, S. John's Church, Mt. Morris, Livingston County.
- Jennings, W. W., (R.), Rector, Epiphany Church, Rochester, Monroe County. Residence, 131 Jefferson Ave.
- Jessup, Charles A., D.D., (B.), Rector, St. Paul's Church, Buffalo, Eric County. Res., 61 Johnson Park.
- Kates, Jerome, (B.), Rector, Zion Church, Palmyra, Wayne County.
- Leach, D. L., (R.), Rector, Trinity Church, Warsaw, Wyoming County. Lee, F. C., (R.), Rector, S. Andrew's Church, Rochester, Monroe County. Rec., 68 Ashland St.
- Lewis, W. H. G., (R.), Rector, Christ Church, Lockport, Niagara County. Lord, Walter R., (B.), Rector, S. John's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Res., 207 Highland Ave.
- Lowe, Arthur F., (B.), Curate, St. Paul's, Buffalo, Erie County. Res., 1336 West Ave.
- Marchant, F. M., (B.), Curate, St. James' Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Res., 110 Imson St.
- Martin, Evan H., (R.), Rector, S. Thomas' Church, Rochester, Monroe County. Res., 24 Field St.
- Marvin, Hobart L., (R.), Rector, Church of the Redeemer Addison, Steuben County.
- McCoy, W. S., (R.), in charge of St. George's Church, Charlotte, Monroe County.
- Mosher, Philip W., (B.), Rector, S. Peter's Church, Niagara Falls, Niagara County.
- North, Walter, L. H. D., (B.), Rector, S. Luke's Church, Buffalo, Eric County. Rec., 15 Bidwell Parkway.
- Oaksford, John, (B.), Rector, St. Matthew's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Res., 417 Elk St.

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- Ottoway, George H., (R.), Rector, Grace Church, Lyons, Wayne County.
 - Parsons, J. H., (R.), Rector, St. John's Church, Ellicottville, Cattaraugus County.
 - Perkins, John H., (R.), Penn Yan (P. O.), Rector, S. Luke's Church, Branchport, Yates County.
 - Purdy, C. E., M. D., (R.), Rector, St. Thomas' Church, Bath, Steuben County.
 - Raines, W. Guy, (R.), Rector, St. John's Church, Clifton Springs, Ontario. Ransom, Francis A., (B.), Rector, St. Stephen's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 1982 Bailey Ave.
- †Rice, Francis F., (R.), Rector, S. John's Church, Catherine (P. O., Montour Falls), and Lawrence Chapel, Schuyler County.
- Robbins, H. E., (B.), Rector, Trinity Church, Canaseraga, Allegany County.
- Shannon, Thomas J., (R.), Rector, St. Stephen's Church, Rochester, Monroe County. Residence, 82 Gardiner Ave.
- Sherwood, George F. J., (B.), Rector, S. Jude's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Res., 126 Macamley St.
- Sherwood, W. T., (B.), Rector, Christ Church, Cuba, Allegany County, and Minister-in-charge of St. Andrew's, Friendship.
- Short, J. L., (B.), Curate, St. Luke's Church, Buffalo. Residence, 128 Richmond Ave.
- Sills, C. Morton, D. D., (R.), Rector, Trinity Church, Geneva: Ontario County.
- Sills, Edmund, (B.), Rector, St. John's Church, Dunkirk, Chautauqua County.
- Sloane, R. R., (B.), Curate, Trinity Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Res., 371 Delaware Ave.
- Smith, Charles H., D.D., (B.), Rector, St. James' Church and the Holy Communion, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 470 Swan St.
- Snell, Laird Wingate, (B.), Assistant Minister, St. Paul's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Res., 128 Pearl St.
- Sommerville, Grant P., D. D., (R.), Rector, St. James' Church, Hammondsport, Steuben County.
- †Sparks, C. B., (R.), Rector, St. John's Church, Medina, Orleans County.

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- Stanton, Nathan W., (B.), Rector, S. Marks Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Res., 401 Dearborn St.
- Stevens, Edwin J., (B.), Rector, St. Simon's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 21 Glendhu Ave.

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- Sykes, Arthur O., D. D., (R.), Chaplain, Industry, Monroe County. Res., 290 Canterbury Road, Rochester.
- Ward, John C., (B.), Rector, Grace Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Res., 1113 West Ave.
- Weeks, D. H., (B.), Rector, Epiphany Church, Niagara Falls, Niagara County.
- White, Glenn W., (R.), Rector, Christ Church, Albion, Orleans County. Williams, G. F., (B.), Rector, St. Mary's-on-the-Hill, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 86 Vermont Street.
- Wilson, J. G., (B.), Rector, Christ Church, Cuba, Allegany County.
- Woodard, F. C., (R.), Rector, Grace Church, Scottsville, Monroe County.
- Zwicker, Henry F., (B.), Rector, Grace Church and All Saints' Chapel, Lockport; St. Andrew's, Olcott, and Good Shepherd, Brookside, Niagara Falls. Res., 639 Thirteenth St.

DEACONS.

- †Bonton, John N., (B.), Minister-in-charge of St. Phillip's Church, Belmont, and Christ Church, Belvidere.
- Sagar, John (B.), Minister-in-charge of Church of the Redeemer, Niagara Falls. Res., 639 Thirteenth St.
- Salisbury, W. S., (B.), Minister-in-Charge, St. Clement's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Res., 143 Durham Ave.
- Warne, Richard, Res., 239 Herkimer St., Buffalo.

OFFICIATING BY LICENSE.

- Adam, Samuel F., (R.), at St. John's Church, Clyde, Wayne County.
- Bissell, F. E., (R.), at Christ Church, Rochester, Monroe County.
- Clarke, Thomas B., (B.), at Church of the Holy Communion, Buffalo, Erie County. Res., 326 East Delavan Ave.
- Delbridge, T. H., (B.), at St. Paul's Church, Mayville, Chautauqua County.
- Forde, R. Augustus, (B.), at St. Mark's Church, Orchard Park, Erie County.
- Goodwin, C. H., (R.), at St. Paul's Church, Rochester.
- Lynds, Henry Irvine, (B.), at All Saints' Church Lockport, Niagara County.
- Shaw, G. A., (B.), at Grace Chur, ch Buffalo, Erie County. Res., 1141 West Ave.
- Sheppard, J. H., (B.), at Youngstown and Lewiston, Niagara County.

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†Angel, F. J.

Ashton, J. W., D.D., Olean, N. Y.

Babcock, E. J., Treasurer, De Veaux College. Residence, Lockport, N. Y.

1Ballard, George G., New York, N. Y. Res., 120 West 103d St.

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Boynton, Chas. H., Ph. D., Professor General Theological Seminary. Residence, 129 Eagle St., Englewood, N. J.

†Bush, H. S., Ph.D.

†Clausen, Chas. J., Residence, Canandaigua, N. Y.

Davies, Arthur, Residence, Rochester, N. Y.

†Dunham, F. S., Ph. D., Residence, Albion, N. Y.

†Easterbrook, F. E., Big Flats, N. Y.

Edson, E. H., 206 Wellington Ave., Rochester, N. Y.

†Fosbroke, Houghton.

Freeman, Maskell George, Residence, 234 Woodlawn Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

†Goss, W. H., Rochester, N. Y.

†Harvey, G. A., North East, Pa.

†Johnston, M. S., Geneva, N. Y.

†Le Boutillier, Geo. T., Residence, Scottsville, N. Y.

†Marsden, Thomas F.

†Maughn, J. A.

tNelson, Henry W., D. D., Rector, Emeritus, Trinity Church, Geneva, Ontario County., Res., Marshfield Hills, Mass.

†Porter, J. L., Professor, Villa Nova College, Pa.

Powell, L. P., LL.D., President Hobart College, Geneva, N. Y.

†Roy, James, LL. D., Canada. Res., 28 Lorne Ave., Montreal, Quebec.

tSeibold, John S., Retired Chaplain, U. S. A., Res., 569 Washington Ave., West Haven, Conn.

†Sherman, Addison M., Platteville, Wis.

†Tarrant, A. O., Ph. D., Philadelphia, Res., 750 South 57th St.

Thomas, J. B., Professor at Sewanee, Tenn.

†Taylor, W. O., Ph. D., Rochester, N. Y., Res., 39 Vick Park.

Not present at Council.

List of Clergy

In Order of Canonical Residence and Year of Admission into the Diocese

PRIESTS.

| 1871Francis Fenelon Rice (1863). | William Orville Taylor. |
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| 1873Walter North, L. H. D. | John Brewster Hubbs, D. D. |
| Charles Henry Smith, D. D. | D. C. L. |
| 1877 Henry W. Nelson, D. D. | Philip Wheeler Mosher. |
| 1882John Schultz Seibold (1873). | William Laurence Davis. |
| 1883James William Ashton, D. D. | 1898Walter Russell Lord. |
| Francis Solomon Dunham, | 1899. John Chamberlain Ward. |
| Ph. D. | 1900John Leech Porter. |
| 1884George Thomas LeBoutillier. | George M. Irish. |
| Pierre Cushing. | Thomas F. Marsden. |
| 1886Charles John Clausen. | 1901 George F. J. Sherwood. |
| George Grey Ballard. | Edwin J. Stevens. |
| 1887. Addison Monroe Sherman. | 1902C. Morton Sills, D. D. |
| 1888 Thomas Benjamin Berry, S.T.D. | . 1903. J. W. Denness Cooper. |
| 1889 George W. Sinclair Ayres. | Joseph Abbott Maughn. |
| Charles Homer Boynton, Ph. D | .1904Charles Rogers Allison. |
| Evan Hartzell Martin. | 1905. Louis Herman Buisch. |
| Curtis Carlos Gove. | Fred William Burge. |
| 1892 George Sherman Burrows. | William H. G. Lewis. |
| 1893Frederick William Beecher. | 1906George Alexander Harvey |
| 1894 George Herbert Gaviller. | (1894) |
| James Roy, LL. D. | 1907 Asa Sprague Ashley. |
| Alfred Brittain. | Maskell George Freeman. |
| John Howard Perkins. | Henry F. Zwicker. |
| Arthur Davies. | James B. Thomas, Ph. D. |
| 1895Nathan William Stanton. | |
| Eugene Jeffrey Babcock. | 1908 Herbert L. Gaylord, Ph. D. |
| Frank Norwood Bouck. | Arthur O. Sykes, D. D. |
| Frank Evans Badger. | W. DeL. Benton, D. D. |
| 1897Cameron Josiah Davis. | W. Guy Raines. |
| William Stanley Barrows. | C. W. Hakes, M. D. |
| James Hallett Herendeen. | J. H. Parsons. |
| | |

1909. Elijah H. Edson.

Houghton Fosbroke.

J. C. Gairdner.

William A. R. Goodwin, D.D.

Harry Idle.

George H. Ottoway.

Francis A. Ransom.

Thomas J. Shannon.

Laird Wingate Snell.

Glenn W. White.

1910. . Richard D. Baldwin.

Harvey S. Bush, Ph. D.

James Cosbey.

Charles A. Jessup, D. D.

Malcolm S. Johnston.

1911.. Francis J. Angel.

Charles D. Broughton.

D. L. Ferris.

William H. Goss (1902).

Percy Isherwood.

Arthur F. Lowe.

C. E. Purdy, M. D.

C. B. Sparks.

G. F. Williams.

A. O. Tarrant, Ph. D.

John Oaksford.

Grant P. Somerville, D. D.

1913..W. H. Benford.

K. A. Bray.

W. C. Compton

Z. S. Farland.

F. W. Feary.

P. B. Hoffman.

L. P. Powell, LL.D.

J. L. Short

D. H. Weeks.

Hubert Cowley-Carroll.

Jerome V. Kates

H. E. Robbins

D. L. Leach

W. T. Sherwood

1915..F. W. Abbott

F. E. Aitkins

E. P. Burrill

G. T. Dowling, D.D.

W. W. Jennings

F. C. Lee

W. S. McCoy

1916..Edmund Bennett,

John R. Burleson, D. D.,

Edmund Cosbey,

Henry de Wolfe de Mauriac,

Samuel Evans,

F. M. Marchant,

H. L. Marvin,

Edmund Sills,

Rush R. Sloane,

Samuel Tyler,

J. G. Wilson,

F. C. Woodard.

DEACONS.

1882. Francis E. Easterbrooke.

1916. Borton, John N. Sager, John.

Salisbury, William S. 1917..Warne, Richard.

Lay Delegates in Attendance

Albion: Christ-Warner Thompson, S. Hazard.

Angelica: St. Paul's—L. S. Palmer. Attica: St. Luke's—R. V. Stockwell.

Batavia: St. James-F. B. Redfield, G. W. Young.

Bath: St. Thomas'-W. H. Simmons, A. de Peyster, C. Willis.

Blasdell: The Incarnation—J. Luther. Branchport: St. Luke's—C. A. Dowdell. Brant: Good Shepherd—T. H. Clough.

Buffalo:

All Saints'-

Ascension—J. W. Crafts, J. F. Adams, Dr. H. H. Glosser.

Good Shepherd—N. R. Luther, W. P. Northrup.

Grace-John Lewis, D. S. Joyce.

St. Andrew's-C. M. Clarke, H. C. Curtiss, B. H. Bennett.

St. James'-H. W. Clendenning, Robert Morris, George H. Andrews.

St. John's-H. S. Madden, J. S. Hamilton.

St. Jude's-J. Morgan, G. R. Drake.

St. Luke's-G. Clucas, R. J. Forbes, W. M. Thompson.

St. Mary's-on-the-Hill-W. S. Riselay, T. M. Gibson, W. E. Townsend.

St. Paul's-Dr. M. D. Mann, W. Y. Warren, E. Hayes.

St. Philip's-O. C. Hall.

St. Simon's-E. C. Airey, H. N. Yates, G. Woelfle.

St. Stephen's-E. J. Cannon, W. F. Schmieding, J. W. Becker.

St. Thomas'-James Savage, G. F. Reach.

Trinity-E. B. Mann, C. B. Sears, S. Kimberly.

Canandaigua: St. John's-H. B. Tyler, S. L. Crawford, N. W. Thompson.

Catharine: St. John's-H. J. Couch.

Clifton Springs: St. John's-F. A. De Graw.

Corning: Christ-W. J. Tully, A. B. Houghton.

Dansville: St. Peter's-F. M. Hartman.

Depew: St. Andrew's-W. W. Sanderson.

Dunkirk: St. John's-W. W. Heppell, L. D. Brainard.

East Aurora: St. Matthias'-E. T. Johnson, J. T. Coit, M. M. Ludlow.

Ellicottville: St. John's-

Geneseo: St. Michael's-Julian Gerard Buckley, W. L. S. Olmsted.

Geneva: Trinity-L. G. Hoskins, T. J. Smith.

Geneva: St. Peter's-P. R. Cole, Henry Graves.

Gowanda: St. Mary's-E. V. Gray, M. D.

Hammondsport: St. James'-G. R. Hall.

Jamestown: St. Luke's—A. F. Fidler, Col. W. F. Endress, W. A. Broadhead.

Lancaster: Trinity-G. A. Davis, H. A. Dann, E. C. Grassell.

Le Roy: St. Mark's-E. A. Rogerson.

Lockport: Christ-W. Marshall, G. C. Bewley, J. S. Buchanan.

Lockport: Grace-W. A. Williams, E. H. Boynton.

Middleport: Trinity—W. J. Kennedy. Montour Falls: St. Paul's—C. L. Frost.

Mt. Morris: St. John's-J. M. Prophet, Arthur Sawyer.

Newark: St. Mark's-W. H. Sherman, T. D. Prescott, S. E. Comstock.

Niagara Falls: Epiphany—W. J. S. Drew, R. Bartlett, C. C. Rice.

St. Peter's—A. W. Thompson, A. J. Porter.

North Tonawanda: St. Mark's-L. T. Payne, C. F. Drewes, E. P. Lovejoy.

Olean: St. Stephen's-John Sloane, C. P. Burleigh.

Palmyra: Zion-G. Tinklepaugh, J. K. Williams.

Pittsford: Christ-F. W. Tylee.

Rochester:

Ascension-Henry T. Brown, H. S. Welsh, F. L. Dutcher.

Christ-Willard E. Moore, E. C. Denton, A. C. Walker.

Epiphany—Herbert Wall.

St. Andrew's-J. L. Humphrey, J. Bailey, R. J. Neafie.

St. James'-J. G. Hathaway, T. C. Embra.

St. Luke's-C. Rogers, H. Converse, E. B. Angell.

St. Mark's-W. Bennet, J. W. Whitley.

St. Paul's-T. G. Moulson, E. G. Miner, D. M. Beach.

St. Stephen's-G. P. Yost, C. A. Sweet.

St. Thomas'-R. C. Kates, S. Daboll, P. B. Van Deusen.

Trinity—S. L. Crabbe.

Scottsville: Grace-F. W. Dunn, W. T. Keys, J. F. McAmmond.

Silver Creek: St. Alban's-A. L. Brown.

Stafford: St. Paul's-L. C. Wood, W. H. Prole, H. D. Prole.

Ellicottville: St. John's-

Warsaw: Trinity-W. H. Sherman.

Watkins: St. James'-J. Frost, G. A. Walter.

Wellsville: St. John's-E. A. Rathbone.

Westfield: St. Peter's-A. E. Skinner, F. W. Crandall.

Parishes and Missions of the

Diocese of Western Rew York

In Respect to their Organization and Relationship to the Diocesan Council

Parishes in Union with the Council

| Place. | Name of Church. | Organized. | Admitted. |
|--------------------|---------------------|-------------|-----------|
| Addison | Ch. of the Redeemer | 1854 | 1854 |
| Albion | Christ | 1844 | 1844 |
| Allen's Hill | St. Paul's | 1813 | No record |
| Angelica | St. Paul's | 1827 | 1827 |
| Avon | Zion | 1792 & 1817 | No record |
| Batavia | St. James' | 1815 | 1816 |
| Bath | St. Thomas' | 1826 | 1826 |
| Belmont | St. Philip's | 1853 & 1858 | 1859 |
| Belvidere | Christ | 1859 & 1897 | 1859 |
| Bradford | St. Andrew's | 1850 | 1850 |
| Branchport | St. Luke's | 1859 & 1866 | No record |
| Brockport | St. Luke's | 1838 | 1838 |
| Buffalo-All Saints | | 1879 & 1894 | 1879 |
| Ascension | | 1855 | 1855 |
| Good Shepherd | | 1888 | 1889 |
| Grace | | 1819 & 1828 | 1826 |
| St. Andrew's | | 1891 | 1891 |
| St. James' | | 1854 | 1855 |
| St. John's | | 1845 | 1845 |
| St. Jude's | | 1893 & 1902 | 1910 |
| St. Luke's | • • | 1857 & 1858 | 1857 |
| St. Mark's | | 1893 | 1893 |
| St. Mary's | | 1872 | 1872 |
| St. Matthew's | - • | 1884 & 1898 | 1899 |
| St. Paul's | | 1817 | 1817 |
| St. Philip's | | | 1868 |
| St. Simon 's | | 1905 | 1913 |
| St. Stephen's | | 1898 | 1899 |
| St. Thomas' | | 1885 | 1885 |
| Trinity | | 1836 | 1837 |
| Canandaigua | St. John's | 1815 & 1816 | 1819 |

| Place. | Name of Church. | Organized. | Admitted. |
|-----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|
| | | | |
| Canaseraga | Trinity | 1857 | 1857 |
| Catherine | St. John's | 1809 & 1890 | 1810 |
| Centerfield | Trinity | 1832 | 1832 |
| Clifton Springs | St. John's | 1809 & 1874 | 1874 |
| Clyde | St. John 's | 1840 & 1846 | 1840 |
| Corning | Christ | 1841 | 1841 |
| Cuba | Christ | 1852 | 1854 |
| Dansville | St. Peter's | 1831 | 1832 |
| Dresden | St. John's | 1866 | 1870 |
| Dunkirk | St. John's | 1850 | 1850 |
| East Aurora | St. Matthias' | 1869 | 1869 |
| East Bloomfield | St. Peter's | 1840 | 1840 |
| Ellicottville | St. John's | 1829 | 1830 |
| Fredonia | Trinity | 1822 | 1822 |
| Geneseo | St. Michael's | 1819 & 1823 | 1819 |
| Geneva | St. Peter's | 1867 | 1867 |
| | Trinity | 1806 | 1807 |
| Hammondsport | St. John's | 1820 & 1829 | 1830 |
| Holley | St. Paul's | 1894 | 1896 |
| Honeoye Falls | St. John's | 1840 & 1842 | 1840 |
| Hornell | Christ | 1854 | 1854 |
| Hunts | St. Mark's | 1825 & 1826 | 1826 |
| Jamestown | St. Luke's | 1834 | 1835 |
| Lancaster | Trinity | • • • • | 1884 |
| Le Roy | St. Mark's | 1817 | No record |
| Lewiston | St. Paul's | 1832 | 1835 |
| Lockport | Christ | 1831 & 1832 | 1833 |
| | Grace | 1835 | 1837 |
| Lyons | Grace | 1825 & 1838 | No record |
| Mayville | St. Paul's | 1823 | 1823 |
| Medina | St. John's | 1827 | 1828 |
| Middleport | Trinity | 1886 & 1906 | 1866 |
| Montour Falls | St. Paul's | 1856 | 1856 |
| Mt. Morris | St. John's | 1832 & 1833 | 1833 |
| Newark | St. Mark's | 1851 | 1851 |
| Niagara Falls | Epiphany | 1858 | 1858 |
| | St. Peter's | 1846 | 1847 |
| North Tonawanda | St. Mark's | 1869 | 1869 |
| Nunda | Grace | 1847 | 1848 |
| Oakfield | St. Michael's | 1858 | 1856 |
| Olean | St. Stephen's | 1830 | No record |
| Palmyra | Zion | 1804 | No record |
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| Place. | Name of Church | Organized. | Admitted. |
|-----------------------|---------------------|-------------|--------------|
| Penn Yan | St. Mark's | 1826 & 1837 | 1826 |
| Perry | Holy Apostles | & 1901 | 1870 |
| Phelps | St. John's | 1832 & 1834 | 1838 |
| Pittsford | Christ | 1846 & 1847 | 1847 |
| Randolph | Grace | 1859 | 1859 |
| Rochester- | | | |
| Ascension | | 1888 & 1892 | 1888 & 1908 |
| Christ | - 1 | 1855 | 1855 |
| Epiphany | | 1876 | 1876 |
| St. Andrew's | | 1879 | 1879 |
| St. James' | | 1876 | 1876 |
| St. Luke's | | 1817 | No record |
| St. Mark's | | 1885 | 1890 |
| St. Paul's | (Admitted as Grace) | 1828 & 1833 | 1834 |
| St. Stephen's | | 1910 | 1911 |
| St. Thomas' | | 1909 | 1909 |
| Trinity | | 1845 | 1846 |
| Salamanca | St. Mary's | 1865 | 1866 |
| Scottsville | Grace | 1885 | 1885 |
| Silver Creek | St. Alban's | 1904 | 1905 |
| Sodus | St. John's | 1825 | 1826 |
| Sodus Center | St. Luke's | 1875 | 1877 |
| Sodus Point | Christ | 1851 & 1861 | 1866 |
| Stafford | St. Paul's | 1838 & 1842 | 1842 |
| Warsaw | Trinity | 1852 | 1852 |
| Watkins | St. James' | 1830 | 1830 |
| Wayne | St. John's | 1850 | 1872 |
| Wellsville | St. John's | 1859 | 1859 |
| Westfield | St. Peter's | 1830 | 1830 |
| Wethersfield Springs. | St. Clement's | 1826 | 182 6 |
| Youngstown | St. John's | 1868 & 1897 | 188 6 |
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Parishes not in Union with the Council

| Place. | Name. | Organized. |
|---------|--------------|-------------|
| Buffalo | St. Peter's | 1872 & 1887 |
| Irving | St. Andrew's | 1893 |

Missions in Union with the Council

| Place. | Name. | Organized. | Admitted. |
|---------------|----------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Angola | St. Paul's | • | 1916 |
| Blasdell | Incarnation | | 1916 |
| Bolivar | Our Saviour | | 1916 |
| Brant (Ind.) | Good Shepherd | | 1917 |
| Caledonia | St. Andrew's | 1887 & 1893 | 1893 |
| Canisteo | St. John's | 1881 & 1896 | 1898 |
| Charlotte | St. George's | 1886 | 1896 |
| Corfu | St. Luke's | 1896 | 1896 |
| Darien Center | St. Paul's | | 1916 |
| Depew | St. Andrew's | 1906 | 1916 |
| Dundee | Grace | 1859 & 1899 | 1859 & 1901 |
| East Randolph | St. Paul's | 1896 | 1897 |
| Forestville | St. Peter's | 1836 | 1836 |
| Franklinville | St. Barnabas' | | 1895 |
| Gowanda | St. Mary's | | 1917 |
| Hamburg | Trinity | ∖ 1890 | 1893 |
| Himrods | St. Paul's | | 1906 |
| Hinsdale | St. Peter's | | 1871 |
| Kenmore | Church of the Advent | | 1915 |
| Lackawanna | Our Saviour | | 1916 |
| Orchard Park | St. Mark's | 1891 | 1893 |
| Savona | Good Shepherd | 1903 | 1903 |
| Sinclairville | All Saints' | | 1916 |
| Union Hill | Good Shepherd | 3 1 | 1898 |
| Wolcott | St. Stephen's | & 1906 | 1868 |

Missions and Stations Not in Union with the Council

| Place. | Name. | Organized. |
|------------------|--------------------|-------------|
| Alden | | |
| Alfred | University Mission | |
| Allentown | | |
| Attica | St. Luke's | |
| Avoca | St. James' | |
| Belfast | Grace | 1885 & 1894 |
| Boardmansville | | |
| Brocton | | |
| Buffalo-Epiphany | • . • | |
| Holy Communion | • • | |

| Holy Innocents St. Clement's St. Mark's Chapel. Bushnell's Basin Chautauqua Despatch | St. Peter's Good Shepherd | 189 7 |
|--|------------------------------|--------------|
| Echota | . - | |
| Fairport | St. Luke's | |
| Friendship | St. Andrew's | 1860 & 1896 |
| Geneva-St. Andrew | | |
| La Salle | | |
| Little Valley | St. Peter's | |
| Lockport—All Saints. | | |
| Good Shepherd | | |
| Manchester | St. John's | |
| Newtown | The Redeemer | |
| Niagara Falls-St. Amb | rose | |
| Niagara Falls—The Red | eemer | |
| Olcott | St. Andrew's | ent 19 |
| Piffard | | |
| Ripley | Trinity | |
| Shortsville | Trinity | 1884 |
| Silver Springs | | |
| South Phelps | St. Paul's | |
| Spencerport | | |
| Springville | St. Paul's | 1891 |
| Victor | Good Shepherd | |
| Williamsville | | 1913 |

Note: Parishes and Missions not in union with the Council have no vote in the Council.

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TRINITY CHURCH, BUFFALO, N. Y., May 15, 1917.

Tuesday, 1:30 P. M.

The Eightieth Annual Council of the Diocese of Western New York convened at the above time and place in accordance with Constitutional requirement and the appointment of the late Bishop of the Diocese, who passed into Paradise on Wednesday, May the second, 1917.

Evening Prayer was said by the Rector of the parish, assisted by the Archdeacon of Buffalo and the Rev. C. A. Jessup, D. D.

2:30 P. M.

The Council assembled for business.

The Episcopate being vacant, the Secretary of the Council, acting under Title I, Canon X, Section V, Subsection [2] of the Diocesan Canons, called the Council to order.

The Secretary announced that more than the canonical number of Delegates necessary to a quorum, of both Orders, entitled to seats in the Council, had reported themselves present. There were, in all, 94 Clerical Delegates, and 144 Lay Delegates, representing 69 parishes and missions, in attendance upon the sessions of the Council. The Chancellor of the Diocese also was present.

The Council proceeded to the election of a Presiding Officer. The Rev. Cameron J. Davis having been nominated, the Assistant Secretary was, on motion, authorized to cast one vote for the Council for the Rev. Cameron J. Davis. The ballot being cast, the Rev. Cameron J. Davis was declared duly elected Presiding Officer of the Council.

The Presiding Officer declared the Council legally organized and ready for business.

On motion, the Rev. G. Sherman Burrows was unanimously elected Secretary of the Council. He was declared so elected.

The Secretary nominated the Rev. C. H. Smith, D. D., 'to be Assistant Secretary of the Council. On motion, the nomination was confirmed.

The Presiding Officer appointed the following Standing Committees:

On Constitution and Canons: The Rev. J. W. Ashton, D. D., the Rev. Pierre Cushing, the Rev. E. P. Hart, the Chancellor and Mr. D. M. Beach.

On the Admission of Churches: The Rev. C. M. Sills, D. D., Messrs. H. J. Burkhart, D. D. S., and Julian G. Buckley.

On Finance: The Rev. P. W. Mosher, Messrs. A. D. McLeod, F. W. Crandall W. A. Williams.

On Report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund: Messrs, T. G. Moulson, D. M. Dárrin, R. C. Kates.

On Reports of Board of Education and Missionary Boards: The Rev. E. H. Martin, the Rev. J. H. Herendeen, Mr. C. Van Valkenburg.

On Report of the Trustees of De Veaux College: The Rev. N. W. Stanton, Messrs. E. C. Denton, J. M. Prophet.

On Non-reporting Clergy and Parishes: The Rev. J. B. Hubbs, D. D., the Rev. Alfred Brittain.

On the General Theological Seminary: The Rev. G. M. Irish, the Rev. W. S. Barrows, Mr. W. H. Richmond.

On Urgent and Unfinished Business: The Rev. W. H. G. Lewis, E. H. Boynton.

On Reports and Reporters: The Rev. C. C. Gove, the Rev. H. L. Gaylord, Ph. D.

On Christian Unity: The Rev. W. L. Davis, the Rev. C. D. Broughton.

On Clergy Relief: The Rev. C. J. Davis, the Rev. D. L. Ferris, the Rev. G. S. Burrows, Messrs. Granger A. Hollister, William Y. Warren.

On the State of the Church: The Rev. C. H. Smith, D. D., the Rev. E. J. Stevens, Mr. de Lancey Rankine.

On Social Service Commission: The Rev. G. F. Williams, the Rev. A. O. Sykes, D. D., the Rev. J. C. Gairdner, Messrs. Augustus de Peyster, Robert Morris, James Morgan, John Purcell and F. B. Redfield.

On Credentials: The Rev. W. North, L. H. D., Messrs. Daniel M. Beach, H. J. Burkhart, D. D. S.

On Missions: The Rev. P. W. Mosher, the Rev. J. C. Ward, the Rev. C. H. Smith, D. D., the Rev. J. W. Ashton, D. D., the Rev. C. J. Davis, the Rev. N. W. Stanton, the Rev. Walter North, L. H. D., the Rev. G. S. Burrows, Messrs. W. H. Stradella, J. K. Walker, C. R. Wilson, W. P. Northrup, the Chancellor, M. D. Mann, M. D., Benjamin Kittenger.

On Archives and Annals: The Rev. G. F. J. Sherwood, the Rev. T. B. Berry, S. T. D.

On State Legislation: The Hon. George A. Davis, C. R. Wilson, Lansing G. Hoskins.

Nominations for offices were made as follows:

For Treasurer: W. E. Moore.

For the Standing Committee: The Rev. C. M. Sills D. D., the Rev. P. W. Mosher, the Rev. C. J. Davis, the Rev. Walter North, L. H. D., the Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, D. D., the Rev. Alfred Brittain, the Rev. C. H. Smith, D. D., the Rev. H. F.

Zwicker, the Rev. C. A. Jessup, D. D., Messrs. J. W. Crafts, G. A. Davis, J. M. Prophet, Elbert Mann, E. G. Miner, S. S. Brown, W. H. Walker, A. C. Walker, A. B. Houghton.

Mr. E. G. Miner declined nomination.

For Financial Board: The Rev. C. H. Smith, D. D., the Rev. Rev. H. F. Zwicker, Messrs. A. B. Houghton, E. G. Miner, L. G. Hoskins, H. Converse, S. Daboll, N. R. Luther, A. E. Skinner.

For Board of Religious Education: The Rev. A. Brittain, the Rev. D. L. Ferris, Messrs. A. B. Houghton, H. H. Glosser, M. D., R. Hillman, C. K. Mellen, M. S. Burns, E. C. Airey.

Mr. Mellen declined nomination.

For Committee on Sustentation Fund: The Rev. H. F. Zwicker, Mr. W. H. Simmons.

For Deputies to the Provincial Synod: The Rev. J. W. D. Cooper, Pierre Cushing, C. A. Jessup, D. D., W. A. R. Goodwin, D. D., H. F. Zwicker, Messrs. W. J. Tully, J. G. Buckley, J. M. Prophet, A. B. Houghton, H. H. Glosser, M. D.

Dr. Glosser declined nomination.

For Representative on Provincial Board of Religious Education: The Rev. J. W. D. Cooper, the Rev. G. H. Gaviller.

For Trustee of the Christmas Fund: Messrs. J. W. Crafts, Martin Clarke, Harper Sibley W. H. D. Barr.

Mr. Crafts declined nomination.

For Trustees of the Parochial Fund (for three years): H. B. Graves, J. E. Brown.

For Trustee for one year in place of A. D. McLeod whose resignation, on motion, was accepted: A. F. Fidler.

For Trustees of De Veaux College: The Rev. E. P. Hart, the Rev. Glenn White, the Rev. N. W. Stanton, Messrs. J. K. Walker, Porter Norton.

On motion, the vacancy caused by the death of Bishop Walker was left unfilled

The Diocesan Committee on Church Pension Fund: The Rev. G. S. Burrows, the Rev. Walter North, L. H. D., Messrs. E. C. Denton, J. G. Buckley, J. G. Dudley.

The Secretary presented the reports of the Treasurer of the Diocese, the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund, the Trustees of the Parochial Fund, the Trustees of De Veaux College, the Warden of De Lancey Divinity School, the Archdeacon of Buffalo, the Archdeacon of Rochester, the treasurers of the Archdeaconries,

the Missionary to deaf mutes, the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, and the Treasurer of the Diocesan Board of Religious Education, which, on motion, were referred to the proper Standing Committees.

The Rev. Dr. Goodwin presented the report of the Standing Committee which, on motion, was accepted, approved, and ordered filed.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Goodwin the following resolution was adopted, a motion to amend and a motion to lay on the table having been lost:

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendations of the Standing Committee the chair do now appoint a committee consisting of four Clergymen and four Laymen, of which the Chancellor shall be one, to investigate the possibility and advisability of making a territorial division of the diocese, said committee to report its findings to the next annual meeting of the Council; and, if it be found possible and advisable, to report also the necessary conditions and course of procedure for such division: and further

Resolved, That the resolution offered by the Rev. Dr. Jessup and adopted by the Council at its meeting at Corning, calling for a committee from the diocese to confer with committees from the other dioceses in the State of New York relative to the readjustment of Diocesan boundaries in New York State be and is hereby referred to the committee called for in the preceding resolution.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Goodwin, fifteen minutes each were allowed Mr. Paul Shimmon to present the cause of Armenian and Serbian Relief, and the Rev. Walter Lord the cause of Army and Navy Chaplains of the United States.

Mr. Shimmon addressed the Council.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Goodwin, the Chair was authorized to appoint a committee to take under consideration the subject presented by Mr. Shimmon.

The chair made certain announcements concerning the service to be held this evening in memory of our late beloved Bishop, and the celebration of the Holy Communion tomorrow morning at 7:30 o'clock.

The Rev. Walter Lord addressed the Council and, on his motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Chairman of this Council appoint a committee on Army and Navy Chaplains, of which committee the duty shall be to cooperate with similar committees appointed in the other dioceses of New York State in the obtainment of suitable chaplains for such forces of the Army and Navy as are now organized, or may hereafter be organized, for the war in which our country is engaged; and that this committee be empowered to raise such sums as are necessary to provide the equipment for such chaplains to do their work, or otherwise provide for such equipment.

The Secretary of the Council presented a communication

from the Secretary of the House of Deputies of the General Convention of the Church, notifying the Council of amendments to the Prayer Book, and to the Constitution and Canons of the Church, adopted at the last Triennial Convention and awaiting further action at the next.

The Secretary presented a communication from the Finance Committee of the Church, calling to the attention of the Council certain legislation required, and requested by the General Convention: and, in compliance with the purpose of the communication offered the following resolution amending the canons of the Diocese, which, on motion, was referred to the Standing Commitete on Constitution and Canons:

Whereas, The Church Finance Committee of the General Convention of the Church has called the attention of the Diocese to certain legislation which the General Convention requests, and

Whereas, Canons 49 and 50 of the General Canons are mandatory as to certain other legislation which the General Convention requires for the purpose of securing an accurate view of the Church and for the further purpose of conforming to prescribed business methods, be it

Resolved, That this Council adopt the following amendments to the canons of the Diocese:

I. Reconstruct and reorganize Canon 8, of Title I, (pp. 25 and 26);

1. By changing the Title of the Canon.

By renumbering present sections I, IV and V.
 By omitting present sections II and III.

4. By introducing new sections.

So that the entire Canon shall be as follows:

CANON EIGHT

OF FINANCES AND THE FINANCIAL BOARD.

- §I. The fiscal year of this Diocese and of each Parish thereof shall begin January first.
- §II. All accounts having to do with the receipt and expenditures or investments of money of all parishes and church organizations shall be audited at the close of each year by a certified public accountant; provided, however, that if the amount of income for the year, as shown by the account, shall be less than \$3,000, or if a certified public accountant is not available, the auditing may be made by an accountant bookkeeper in no way connected with the subject-matter of the account.
- §III. On or before the 1st day of January, 1918, all trust and permanent funds belonging to this Diocese or any parish thereof shall, if the same can lawfully be done, be deposited in trust and thereafter left with one or more trust companies or banks organized under the laws of the United States or of this State, and authorized to receive the same, or in the event that a corporation shall be organized for that purpose by the Diocese, with such corporation, and a full and detailed statement of all such trusts or permanent funds shall be presented annually to this Council upon a form to be prescribed by the Financial Board.
- §IV. All real property belonging to the Diocese, or to any parish thereof, shall be adequately insured against fire, the amount thereof to be deter-

mined in the first instance by the proper officers of the Diocese or parish owning such property, but subject thereafter to the direction of the Financial Board, and to that end the Financial Board is hereby vested with general authority to compel the adequate insurance of such real property by the Diocese, or any parish thereof, and the amount of such insurance, the companies carrying the same, and the character of the policies shall be determined by said Financial Board.

- §V. There shall be a Financial Board of the Diocese elected at every Annual Council, of which the Bishop of the Diocese shall be, ex-officio, a member. It shall consist of two Presbyters and four Laymen who shall be communicants of the Church in this Diocese, to be chosen by ballot and by the concurrent vote of the Clergy and the Laity. Vacancies in said Board shall be supplied by the concurrent vote of the Clerical and Lay Members of the same, by and with the consent of the Bishop.
 - §VI. It shall be the duty of the Financial Board:
- [1] To maintain general supervision of the financial affairs of the Diocese; to secure simplicity and accuracy in the collection and disbursements of al funds, and co-operation between the various officers, trusts and boards of the Council; for which purpose it shall establish its own rules and keep a record of its meetings, all of which shall be submitted annually to the Council.
- [2] To make such rules and regulations with respect to the deposit of trust funds and the management thereof, and with respect to insurance of real property, as shall be proper, and shall report such rules and regulations annually to the Council.
- [3] To take such steps, legal or otherwise, as may be necessary to recover or secure any property, real or personal, belonging to any parish or congregation of the Church within this Diocese, the legal title to which is not vested in a duly constituted Vestry, or the Trustees of the Parochial Fund; and which may be regarded as abandoned property.
- [4] To act as advisor of the Bishop in financial matters; and upon request, as advisor to individual parishes within the Diocese.
- [5] To perform such other duties relating to the business affairs of the Diocese as may be referred to it.
- §VII. The Financial Board shall report to each Annual Council their action under this Canon, in all particulars, the said report to be included in the pamphlet of printed reports presented to the Annual Council.
 - II. Substitute for Canon 2, of Title II (p. 48) the following:

CANON TWO

OF THE TRIENNIAL REPORT.

- §I. The Secretary of the Council, with such aid as he may require, shall prepare the triennial report of the Diocese upon the form provided by the General Convention, and shall with respect to the contents of such triennial report be governed by the canons and regulations now or hereafter adopted by the General Convention.
- §II. The Secretary of the Council shall also prepare immediately after the adjournment of the Diocesan Council next preceding the regular meeting of every General Convention and forward forthwith to the Secretary of the House of Deputies of the General Convention, upon the blanks provided by the General Convention for that purpose, a condensed summary of the statistics contained in the Parochial reports and Bishop's statements, with

information as to all institutions in any way connected with the Church within the Docese, and also as to the condition of all invested funds and the amount of all contributions received or expended by the Bishop, or otherwise, within the Diocese.

III. Add, after Canon 2, Title II, the following to be known as

CANON THREE

OF PAROCHIAL AND PERSONAL REPORTS.

- §I. It shall be the duty of every minister of this Church in charge of a parish, or congregation, or, if there be no minister in charge, of the church wardens, or other proper officer, to prepare, upon the blank form adopted by the General Convention, a report for the year ending December 31st, preceding, and to deliver the same on or before the first day of every Annual Council to the Bishop of the Diocese, or to the person designated by the Bishop to receive it; or, when there is no Bishop, to the Presiding Officer of the Council. This report shall include the following information:
- [1] The number of baptisms, confirmations, marriages, and burials during the year, the total number of baptized persons and communicants at the time of the report;
- [2] A summary of all receipts and expenditures from whatever source derived, and for whatever purpose used; and
- [3] A statement of the property held by the parish, whether real or personal, with an appraisal of its value, together with a statement of the indebtedness of the parish, if any, and of the amount of insurance carried.
- §II. It shall be the duty of every Minister not in charge of any parish or congregation to report his occasional services, and if there have been none, the causes or reasons which have prevented the same.
- §III. The Parochial Report shall be made in the form of report adopted by the General Convention. Parochial and personal reports, or such parts of them as the Bishop may deem proper, shall be entered in the Journal.

On motion of the Secretary of the Council, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the Diocese was submitted to and approved by the Council last year and now awaits final action by the Council,

Resolved, That Title III, Section II, (p. 4) of the Constitution be amended by substituting the words have been at least six weeks for the word "are" in the second line.

The Secretary of the Council proposed the following amendment to the Diocesan Canon on Missionary Boards, which, on motion, was referred to the Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons:

Title I, Canon 10, Section IV, Subsection [2], (p. 29).

Substitute for the Subsection the following:

The Missionary Board of each Archdeaconry shall consist of the Bishop of the Diocese and the Archdeacon, ex-officio; of a Secretary and a Treasurer to be elected annually; and of three Clergymen and three Laymen, who, at the first meeting of the Board after the enactment of this article of the Canon, shall choose from among themselves one Clergyman and

one Layman to serve until the next annual meeting of the Archdeaconry, one Clergyman and one Layman to serve until one year thereafter, and one Clergyman and one Layman to serve until two years thereafter. Each annual meeting of the Archdeaconry, beginning with that of 1918, shall elect one Clergyman and one Layman to serve three years, to take the place of those whose terms then expire. Of the three Clergymen and three Laymen, none shall be eligible for re-election to succeed himself, nor within one year.

On motion of Mr. A. B. Houghton, the following resolution

was adopted:

Resolved, That the Special Committee on Finance be, and it hereby is, empowered to investigate the general subject of the compensation of clergymen in the Diocese; and to report to the next annual meeting of the Council.

The Rev. Dr. Ashton presented the following report of the Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons, which, on

motion, was adopted:

The Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons reports favorably on the proposed amendment to Title I, Canon 2, Section VIII, of the Canons, referred to it at the last Council (p. 30 of the Journal of 1916); and moves its adoption. The following sentence will be added to the section: The cost of providing said bond shall be a charge upon the Diocese.

On motion of Archdeacon Ayres, the following was adopted: Resolved, that the Church of the Good Shepherd, Brant, Cattaraugus Reservation, and St. Mary's Church, Gowanda, be admitted into union with the Council of the Diocese.

The Rev. G. F. J. Sherwood presented the report of the Board of Religious Education, which, on motion, was received and ordered filed.

On motion of Mr. E. H. Boynton, the report of the Board of Religious Education was referred to the Standing Committee on Boards of Education and Missionary Boards.

On motion of Archdeacon Ayres the chair was authorized to appoint a committee of three on the Bishop Coxe Diocesan Library.

The Rev. Mr. Cooper presented the report of the Secretary of the Board of Religious Education of the Diocese of Western New York, which, on motion, was received and ordered filed.

The Rev. Dr. Powell, President of Hobart College, addressed the Council, recommending Hobart College as a Churchly institution.

The Rev. H. F. Zwicker presented the following report of the Committee on the Sustentation Fund which, on motion, was received and ordered filed:

Bath, N. Y., April 10, 1917.

To the Bishop of the Diocese:

The Sustentation Committee met and apportioned the sum of \$991.05 to such rectors of parishes as were eligible under the canon.

W. H. SIMMONS, Sec'y, HENRY F. ZWICKER, The Rev. Dr. Purdy offered the following resolution which, on motion, was referred to the Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons:

Whereas, The assembling of the Council or Convocation of the Diocese of Western New York on "the third Tuesday in May" has interfered, and off-times will interfere, with the celebration in our several parishes, of the Festival of the Ascension of Our Blessed Lord and the keeping of the Rogation Days preceding, and

Whereas, The action of the General Convention of 1916, ordering the cotermination of the financial year of the Church with the calendar or fiscal year, has removed any need for our meeting at a special time in May, be it

Resolved, That the words of the Constitution be so changed that Title II, Section I, shall read instead of "third Tuesday in May" third Tuesday in May, or, in case the third Tuesday in May falls in the week with Ascension Day, on the Tuesday following.

Dr. M. D. Mann presented the following resolution which, on motion, was adopted:

Whereas, the U. S. Senate recently adopted a provision forbidding the use of cereals and grain, during the war, for the manufacture of malt liquor or intoxicating beverages;

And whereas, the U. S. Senate yesterday took action reversing its former action, not apparently because of opposition to the principle involved, but for parliamentary reasons:

Resolved, That this Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York desires to place itself on record as in favor of a measure forbidding the use of cereals and grain for the manufacture of malt liquors and intoxicating beverages during the duration of the war; and

Resolved, That a communication embodying these resolutions be sent from this Council, signed by its president and secretary, to each U. S. Senator from New York and to each member of the House of Representatives whose constituency is wholly or in part within that portion of the State of New York comprising the Diocese of Western New York.

On motion of the Rev. Mr. Broughton, the Secretary of the Council was directed to communicate the sympathy of the Council to several reverend brethren of the Diocese who are ill at this time, namely, the Rev's. E. P. Hart, D. L. Ferris, J. G. Gardner, F. W. Feary, E. P. Burrill.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Somerville, the chair was authorized to appoint a committee to draft resolutions on the death of Bishop Walker.

Mr. E. C. Denton addressed the Council concerning the Christmas Fund, and, on motion, the following report, submitted by him, was received and ordered filed:

To the Eightieth Annual Council of the Diocese of Western New-York:

At the request of the Chairman of the committee appointed by the Standing Committee to report to this Council as to the future relations of the Christmas Fund to the Church Pension Fund, I have the honor to report that I have corresponded with Mr. Monell Sayre, Secretary of the Church Pension Fund, I have the council Pension Fun

sion Fund, regarding the possibility of merging the two funds, and have

received from him a letter, dated may 4th, in which he says:

The Executive Committee of the Church Pension Fund has had before it, as its most important subject of consideration, the form of contract with the Diocesan Funds and a sub-committee on relations with Diocesan Funds is struggling with the matter. The sub-committee consists of Mr. Truesdale, President of the Lackawanna Railroad; Mr. Peabody, President of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, and myself. We have not yet been able to agree on the proper form of contract. We hope that we can do so before many days and then I will send it immediately to you.

I have not yet received the proposed form of contract mentioned by Mr. Sayer. The matter will require much consideration, so that it can be

presented for consideration at the next Council.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

EUGENE C. DENTON.

A motion, with amendments, proposing that the Council proceed to the election of a Bishop to-day or to-morrow, was lost.

On motion, the convening of a meeting of the Council to elect a Bishop of the Diocese, together with the determining of time and place, was left to the Standing Committee with the request it report to this Council.

On motion, the Council adjourned until 8:00 o'clock this evening.

Tuesday Evening, 8:00 P. M.

A special service in memory of the Right Reverend William David Walker, D. D., L. L. D., D. C. L., late Bishop of the Diocese of Western New York, was held in Trinity Church, the Rector of the parish being in charge. He was assisted by the Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, D. D., the Rev. C. A. Jessup, D. D., and the Secretary of the Diocese.

The Right Reverend Charles Sanford Olmsted, D. D.,

preached the memorial sermon.

Trinity Church, Buffalo, N. Y., May 16, 1917.

Wednesday Morning, 7:30.

The Holy Communion was celebrated, the officiant being the Rev. C. M. Sills, D. D., assisted by the Rector of the parish.

9:00 A. M.

The Presiding Officer called the Council to order.

The minutes of yesterday's sessions were read, and, on motion, adopted.

Announcement was made of the death of the Rev. E. P. Hart who passed away this morning after an illness of several weeks' duration.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Smith, the following resolution

was adopted:

This Council having just learned with deep sorrow of the death of the Rev. E. P. Hart, Rector of St. Mark's Church, Rochester, we desire to express to Mrs. Hart and the other members of the family the sincere sympathy of this body and to assure them of our fervent prayers for Divine grace to sustain them in their severe bereavement.

The Chair led in suitable devotions.

The Council proceeded to the election of officers.

The Chair appointed the following tellers:

For the Clerical vote: The Rev. G. M. Irish, Mr. Robert Morris.

For the Lay vote: The Rev. J. W. D. Cooper, Mr. Henry Madden.

The ballots being cast, by orders, the ballot was declared closed.

On motion, the petitions of several delinquent parishes were referred to the Standing Committee.

On motion, the resolutions of the Special Committee on the death of Bishop Walker were ordered printed.

The Rev. Dr. Sills, for the Standing Committee, presented the following, which, on motion, was adopted:

Whereas, in the Providence of God, it has become necessary for this Diocese to choose a Bishop, the Standing Committee, as the Ecclesiastical Authority, gives notice of this duty and bids the prayers of the Clergy and People that God will supply a Pastor after His own heart.

The Committee furthermore requests its President to place before the Council its recommendation that when the Council adjourns it adjourn to meet on Tuesday, the fifth day of June, at Trinity Church, Buffalo, at eleven o'clock, for the election of a Bishop, and that the Holy Communion be celebrated at that time.

On motion of the Rev. W. S. Barrows, the sermon preached by Bishop Olmsted was ordered printed in the Journal, and five hundred copies printed separately for distribution.

The Secretary presented a communication from Mrs. Walker. as follows:

367 Elmwood Ave., Buffalo, May 14th, 1917.

My dear Mr. Burrows:

Will you kindly convey to the Clergy of the Diocese my deep and earnest appreciation of the beautiful cross of lilies which accompanied their late Bishop to his final earthly resting place?

He was truly to them a Father in God, desiring only their firm allegi-

ance to the cause to which he and they had consecrated their lives; feeding their flock with the spiritual nourishment which alone brings solace and refreshment to troubled souls.

I can desire for them no more complete and enduring happiness than that which was his during the long years of service for his Master, a happiness which came from the firm and sure convictions taught him by his Mother, the Church.

For the kind expressions of sympathy from-the Clergy, the Wardens, Vestrymen and other laity of his many parishes, I am deeply grateful-my heart can only say, thank you.

Very sincerely,
BERTHA B. B. WALKER. The Rev. Mr. Stanton, for the Standing Committee on the Report of the Trustees of De Veaux College, presented the following, which, on motion, was received and approved: To the Council of the Diocese of Western New York:

The committee to which was referred the Annual Report of the Trustees of De Veaux College, etc., desire to report that they have examined the same and find it in due form and correct.

NATHAN W. STANTON, JOHN M. PROPHET EUGENE C. DENTON.

The Rev. Mr. Tyler addressed the Council on conditions of life in army camps and presented the following resolution, which, on motion, was adopted:

Whereas, the Young Men's Christian Association has rendered a most unusual and much needed service among the soldiers of the nations now at war in the mobilization and prison camps in Europe and Great Britain; and

Whereas, the Young Men's Christian Association is now preparing to render a smilar service in the camps in this country; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, representatives of the Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Western New York in Diocesan Council assembled, do hereby express our deep sense of the need of the work about to be undertaken in this country and commnd it to the sympathetic and generous consideration of the Churchmen of this Diocese; and

Resolved, That the Chairman of this Council appoint a committee to actively co-operate with the authorities of the Young Men's Christian Association and the chaplains at Fort Niagara in any work which they may undertake for the religious and social welfare of the men encamped at Fort Niagara.

The Chair appointed the following committees:

On Armenian Relief: The Rev. S. Tyler, the Rev. C. A. Jessup, D. D., the Rev. W. Lord, Messrs. J. G. Buckley, and Harper Sibley.

On Resolutions on Bishop Walker's Death: The Rev. G. P. Sommerville, D. D., the Rev. P. W. Mosher, and Mr. W. J. Tully.

On Bishop Coxe Diocesan Library: The Rev. T. B. Berry, S. T. D., the Rev. W. North, L. H. D., the Rev. G. S. Burrows.

On Division of the Diocese: The Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, D. D., the Rev. C. A. Jessup, D. D., the Rev. D. L. Ferris, the Rev. J. W. Ashton, D. D., Messrs. D. M. Beach, W. J. Tully, Justice C. B. Sears and Hon. S. S. Brown.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Sills, the petitions of delinquent parishes referred to the Standing Committee were referred to the Financial Board.

The Rev. Mr. Martin presented the following report of the Standing Committee on Boards of Education and Missionary Boards, which, on motion, was received and its recommendation to print in the Journal approved; also, on motion, the second part of the report was approved:

Your Committee has examined the reports of the two Archdeacons, and of the Warden of the De Lancey Divinity School, and of the Educational Field Secretary, and respectfully recommended these be printed in the Journal.

With regard to the report of the Diocesan Board of Religious Education, which was referred to this committee, your committee beg leave to refer that report back to the Council with the recommendation that it have the careful attention of the entire Council. It contains a resume of the work of the Diocesan Educational Field Secretary, an office which was created three years ago, being made possible by the generosity of a member of this Council who has financed it for three years, the period of his offer.

It would seem to be time for the Council to determine whether this work should not have the support of the Council, as one of the permanent methods of Diocesan work.

EVAN H. MARTIN, J. H. HERENDEEN.

On motion, the matter of the Diocese assuming the expense of maintaining the office of Educational Field Secretary was referred to the Standing Committee, with the request that it confer with the Educational Secretary.

The Rev. Dr. Goodwin, for the Standing Committee, presented the following budget, which, on motion, was laid on the table until after the Standing Committee shall report on the matter of the support of the office of Educational Secretary:

ANNUAL BUDGET FOR 1917-1918.

| Rent of See House | |
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| Bishop's traveling expenses | 300.00 |
| Secretary of the Council | 200.00 |
| Secretary of the Standing Committee | 100.00 |
| General Convention (1-3) assessment | 125.00 |
| General Convention, Clerical Delegates (1-3 assessment) | 70.00 |
| Religious Education, General | 654.00 |
| Religious Education, Provincial | 130.80 |
| Social Service Commission, General | 297.96 |
| Social Service Commission, Provincial | 5.00 |
| Province of New York and New Jersey, Provincial Synod | 30.30 |
| Rent of Archives' room | 50.00 |
| Diocesan Treasurer | 200.00 |
| Printing | 800.00 |
| Salary Treasurer, Church Pension Fund, \$200; expenses, \$100 | 300.00 |
| Funeral expenses of the Rt. Rev. Wm. D. Walker, D. D | 1,334.09 |

Expenses of Educational Field Secretary...... 500.00

\$6,297.15

The Rev. P. W. Mosher presented the following report of the Standing Committee on Finance. On motion, it was approved:

The Committee on Finance has carefully examined the report of the Trusteess of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate and has found the report correct, full and properly audited by an auditing company.

The report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund has been examined and found correct and audited by a committee of the Trustees.

The report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund has also been examined and found to be correct, fuller than heretofore, giving the list of mortgages held by the Trustees. The Committee thanks the new Treasurer for this full report and rejoices in the fact that the Fund has been audited by au Auditing Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

PHILIP W. MOSHER, W. A. WILLIAMS.

The Rev. Dr. Ashton, reporting for the Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons, approved the proposed amendments to Title I, Canon 8, of the Diocesan Canons; also those to Title II, Canon 2; and recommended their adoption. On motion, the amendments were adopted by an unanimous vote of the Council.

The Rev. Dr. Ashton, for the Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons, disapproved the proposed amendment to Title I, Canon 10, Section IV, Subsection [2], of the Diocesan Canons, and recommended it be not adopted. On motion, the recommendation was not adopted. On motion of the Rev. Dr. Jessup, the proposed amendment to Title I, Canon 10, Section IV, Subdivision [2] was adopted by a more than two-thirds vote of both orders.

The Rev. Dr. Ashton, for the Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons, approved the proposed amendment to Title II, Section I, of the Constitution of the Diocese and recommended its approval by this Council and its final adoption by the next Council. On motion, the proposed amendment (fixing the date of the Annual Council to be the third Tuesday in May, or, in case the third Tuesday in May falls on the week with Ascension Day, on the Tuesday following) was unanimously approved.

The Rev. Dr. Ashton, for the Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons, reported that the Committee declined to draft a Canon permitting women to vote at parish elections.

On motion the Chair was authorized to appoint a commit-

ree to draft a Canon providing for woman suffrage at parish elections. The Chair appointed as such committee, the Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, D. D., the Rev. C. W. Hakes, M. D., Justice C. B. Sears.

The Chair appointed the following:

Committee on Army and Navy Chaplains: The Rev. Walter Lord, the Rev. Samuel Tyler, the Rev. Z. S. Farland, Messrs. E. G. Miner and J. K. Walker.

The Rev. H. F. Zwicker, for the Financial Board, presented the following report which, on motion, was adopted:

The Financial Board make the following recommendations in regard to certain parishes and missions which are delinquent in the payment of

canonical assessments:

That the Lay Delegates of St. John's Church, Dunkirk; Trinity Church, Warsaw; St. George's Church, Charlotte; St. Alban's, Silver Creek; St. Luke's, Attica, be admitted upon payment of fifty per cent. of their arrearages.

That those of Christ Church, Lockport, be admitted upon payment of

\$109.00 of their \$199.85 arrears.

That those of Trinity Church, Middleport, be admitted upon payment of \$44.36

That those of Zion Church, Avon, be admitted upon payment of twenty-five per cent. of their arrears.

That those of St. Mary's Church, Gowanda, be admitted upon the pay-

ment of \$30.00.

That the Indian mission at Brant have their past indebtedness remitted. That St. Stephen's Church, Buffalo, having had representation in last year's Council and having paid their assessments for the current year, the Lay Delegates should be admitted now.

A deputation from the Rural Deanery of Lincoln and Welland, Diocese of Niagara, Ontario, Canada, was received and introduced. It consisted of the Venerable, Archdeacon Perry, M. A., Rector of St. Thomas' Church, St. Catharines; the Rev. Canon Garrett, Rector of St. Mark's Church, Niagara-on-the-Lake; the Rev. J. Bonsfield, Vicar of Christ Church, Niagara Falls; and the Rev. H. L. A. Almon, B. D., Rural Dean of Lincoln and Welland. They were graciously welcomed by the Chair. Archdeacon Perry spoke for the deputation, bringing a most kind and touching message of sympathy for the Diocese of Western New York in its bereavement, and of fraternal greetings.

The Standing Committee on the Report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund presented the following:

Buffalo, May 16, 1917.
The undersigned have examined the report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund. We find that the securities held by the Trustees correspond with their statement of the fund, the administration of which has been satisfactory.

T. G. MOULSON. ROY C. KATES. On motion, the Council adjourned until two o'clock. Wednesday, 2:00 P. M.

The tellers made their report and the following were found, and declared, to be elected:

For Treasurer: W. E. Moore.

For Standing Committee: The Rev. C. M. Sills, D. D., the Rev. C. J. Davis, the Rev. Walter North, L. H. D., Messrs. Judge S. S. Brown, W. H. Walker, A. C. Walker.

For Financial Board: The Rev. C. H. Smith, D. D., the Rev. H. F. Zwicker, Messrs. A. B. Houghton, E. G. Miner, L. G. Hoskins, H. Converse.

For Board of Religious Education, for three years: The Rev. A. B. Brittain, the Rev. D. L. Ferris, Mr. A. B. Houghton.

For Committee on Sustentation Fund: The Rev. H. F. Zwicker, Mr. W. H. Simmons,

For Deputies to the Provincial Synod: The Rev. J. W. D. Cooper, the Rev. P. Cushing, the Rev. C. A. Jessup, D. D., the Rev. H. F. Zwicker, Messrs. W. J. Tully, J. G. Buckley, J. M. Prophet, and A. B. Houghton.

For Representative on Provincial Board of Religious Education: The Rev. J. W. D. Cooper.

For Trustee of the Christmas Fund: Mr. Harper Sibley.

For Trustees of the Parochial Fund: Messrs. H. B. Graves and J. G. Brown for three years; and Mr. A. F. Fidler for one year.

For Trustees of De Veaux College: Messrs. J. K. Walker, Porter Norton, W. A. Morgan.

For Diocesan Committee on Church Pension Fund: The Rev. G. S. Burrows, the Rev. W. North, L. H. D., Messrs. E. C. Denton, J. G. Buckley, and J. G. Dudley.

On motion, it was resolved that in the second ballot for the Board of Religious Education the person receiving the highest majority vote of both orders be declared elected for three years and the person receiving the next highest majority vote of both orders be declared elected for two years.

On motion, the following proposed Canon on Social Service, submitted by a Special Committee appointed last year to draft such a canon, was referred to the Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons, to report at this session of the Council:

TITLE I, CANON TWENTY OF THE SOCIAL SERVICE COMMISSION.

§I. [1] There shall be a social service commission of six members, three clergymen and three laymen. The members shall be elected by ballot. Within thirty days after the adjournment of the Council the members of the commission just elected shall divide themselves by lot into three classes, one clergyman and one layman in each class, to hold office for terms of one, two, three years respectively and until the election of their successors; and shall also elect a chairman and a secretary to serve for one year. The secretary thus elected shall notify the secretary of the Council of the

result of such division into three classes and of the election of officers. If, after the expiration of forty days after the adjournment of the Council, the secretary of the commission shall have failed so to notify the secretary of the Council, the secretary of the Council shall at once proceed by lot to divide the members of the commission into classes, as aforesaid, and they shall respectfully hold their offices accordingly. At each succeeding stated Council one clergyman and one layman shall be elected by ballot to hold their offices for three years. All vacancies occurring in the said commission shall be filled for the balance of the term. Except in the case of members chosen to fill vacancies until the next stated Council no members shall be eligible to the commission for one year after the expiration of his term of service.

- [2] Besides the regularly elected members of the commission as aforesaid, there shall be associated with the commission in its plans and work one minister and one layman from each archdeaconry in the diocese, likewise elected by ballot for one year.
- §II. The commission shall have authority to study social conditions in the diocese and to take action with reference to the same. The specific functions of the commission shall be:—
- [1] To organize and educate the various parishes in the diocese with regard to local social conditions and needs to the end that the individual parishes may themselves become active in relation to the social problem.
- [2] To co-operate in propaganda and active effort with such recognized social agencies, local and state, in the diocese as shall be determined by a majority (or unanimous) vote of the commission.
- [3] To co-operate, through exchange of plans and joint action where desirable, with the social service commissions of other dioceses now or hereafter to be created.
- [4] To co-operate with the Joint Commission on Social Service, authorized by General Convention in 1910.
- §IV. The commission shall make, annually, a full report to the Council of work accomplished and plans in view, together with a request for such funds as they deem necessary to carry on their work.

The Rev. Dr. Goodwin, for the Standing Committee, presented the following resolution, which, on motion, was adopted:

Resolved, That the Standing Committee increase the Budget for Religious Education to the extent of \$500.00, to provide for the expenses incident to the discharge of the duties of the Field Secretary of the Diocesan Board of Religious Education; the said Board to furnish the salary of the Field Secretary from outside sources.

On motion, the Special Committee appointed last year to inquire as to the desirability of incorporating the Diocese of Western New York was continued.

The Rev. Dr. Goodwin presented the following, which, on motion, was referred to the Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons:

The Special Committee, to whom was referred the preparation of a canon in relation to the qualification of voters at annual elections and special meetings of parishes in the Diocese beg leave to report we recommend the adoption of the following:

Resolved, That Title I, Canon 2, be amended by inserting as subsection [1] to section VI the following: Whenever so determined by any parish of this Diocese in the manner provided in Section 46 of the Religious Corporations Law, women of full age belonging to such parish, who have been regular attendants at its worship and contributors to its support for at least twelve months prior to such election, or special meeting, or since the establishment of such parish, shall be qualified voters at such election or special meeting. And be it further

Resolved, That the numbering of the present section be changed to conform to the insertion of the new section.

The Rev. Dr. Ashton, reporting for the Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons on the proposed suffrage amendment just referred to it, recommended that it be not adopted.

On motion, the recommendation of the Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons was not adopted.

On motion, the proposed suffrage amendment was adopted by a majority vote of both orders: Clerical vote, ayes 37, noes 15. Lay vote, ayes 18, noes 12.

The tellers reported on the third ballot of the Council and there was found, and declared, to be elected:

For Board of Religious Education for three years. Dr. H. H. Glosser.

The Council proceeded to ballot for offices remaining unfilled. All having balloted, the ballot was declared closed.

The Chair appointed the following:

Committee to co-operate with Y. M. C. A. in Army Camps: The Rev. A. F. Lowe, the Rev. W. Lord, the Rev. C. D. Broughton, the Rev. G. F. Williams.

The Rev. Dr. Ashton, reporting for the Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons, recommended that the Social Service Canon referred to it be adopted. On motion, the Canon was adopted unanimously.

Mr. W. J. Tully presented the following resolution, which, on motion, was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That this Council place on record its appreciation of the visit of the Deputation from the Rural Deanery of Lincoln and Welland Diocese of Niagara, Ontario, Canada, and of the splendid message delivered by Archdeacon Perry.

Nominations were made as follows:

For Provisional Deputies to the Provincial Synod: The Rev. G. S. Burrows, the Rev. J. C. Ward, the Rev. P. W. Mosher, the Rev. J. B. Hubbs, D. D., Messrs. F. H. Sibley, M. D. Mann, M. D., E. H. Boynton, and Lewis Stockton.

On motion, the Secretary was authorized to cast one ballot for both orders, for the nominees just named, which, being done, those nominated were declared elected. The tellers reported on the third ballot of the Council and the following were found, and declared, to be elected:

For the Standing Committee: Mr. J. W. Crafts.

For Board of Religious Education, for two years: M. S. Burns.

On motion, the Council expressed its appreciation of Mrs. Walker's letter, read this morning, and ordered it printed in the Journal.

On motion, the Secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for both orders, as follows:

For the Standing Committee: The Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, D. D.

The ballot being cast, the Rev. Dr. Goodwin was declared duly elected.

The following communication was received:

The Social Service Commission respectfully submit that at a meeting held Wednesday, May 16, the Rev. George F. Williams, Rector of St. Mary's-on-the-Hill, Buffalo, N. Y., was unanimously elected Chairman of the Commission for the ensuing year.

Submitted,

ARTHUR O. SYKES, ROBERT MORRIS, JAMES C. MORGAN, JOHN PURCELL,

On motion, a vote of grateful appreciation and thanks was extended the Rector, Vestry and Parishioners of Trinity Parish for the most cordial and generous hospitality enjoyed; also, the usual fee of \$10.00 was directed to be paid the sexton.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Smith, the following was adopted:
Resolved, That this Council do now adjourn to meet at Trinity Church,
Buffalo, on Tuesday, the fifth day of June, 1917, at eleven o'clock, A. M.,
for the purpose of choosing a Bishop of the Diocese of Western New
York, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come
before the Council.

After prayers, read by the Presiding Officer, the Council adjourned to meet again on the date, and at the place, determined upon.

Trinity Church, Buffalo, N. Y., June 5, 1917. 11:00 A. M.

Pursuant to resolutions adopted by the Eightieth Annual Council of the Diocese of Western New York on May 16, 1917, the Council assembled at the above time and place.

The Holy Communion was celebrated, the officiant being the President of the Standing Committee, assisted by the Rector of the parish and the two Archdeacons of the Diocese.

12:00 M.

The Council was called to order for business by the Presiding Officer, the Rev. Cameron J. Davis.

The minutes of the preceding sessions of May 16 were read and, on motion, adopted.

On motion of Mr. Harlow Curtis the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That this Council has learned with sorrow that the Rev. Walter North, L.H.D., still continues to be afflicted with a painful illness and is unable to be present and participate in the election of a Bishop; and that the Secretary be and he is hereby directed to write to Dr. North expressing our sense of loss occasioned by his absence, and that the members of this Council sincerely hope and pray that he may soon be restored to health.

On motion, the resolution adopted in the case of the Rev. Dr. North was adopted also in reference to the Rev. Samuel Tyler, ill at Rochester.

The Financial Board made the following recommendation which, on motion, was adopted:

Resolved, That the parishes of St. John's Church, Clifton Springs, St. Paul's Church, Angelica, and St. Stephen's Church, Rochester, be admitted to seats in the Council.

On motion, the following resolution, offered by Mr. William Young Warren, was adopted:

Resolved, That the salary of the Bishop of this Diocese be fixed at six thousand dollars per annum.

On motion of the Rev. G. H. Ottoway, the following resolution was referred to the Financial Board:

Resolved, That St. Mark's Church, Newark, be admitted to a seat in the Council on the payment of fifty per cent. of its arrearages as to canonical assessments.

The Financial Board recommended that Grace Church, Randolph, and St. Mark's Church, Newark, be admitted to seats in the Council on the payment of fifty per cent. of their arrearages as to Canonical assessments; which recommendation, on motion, was adopted.

The Presiding Officer having inquired if any desired to make nominations for the office of Bishop of the Diocese and it having been ascertained there was such a desire, the Council resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole with the Secretary of the Diocese in the chair.

On the Committee of the Whole rising the Presiding Officer resumed his seat and the chairman of the Committee of the Whole reported to the Council that the Committee presented the following nominations for its consideration:

The Rev. William T. Manning, D.D., the Rev. D. L. Ferris, the Rev. C. F. J. Wrigley, D.D., the Rev. C. J. Davis. the Rev. G. C. Stewart, L.H.D., the Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, D.D., the Rev. J. Mockridge, D.D.

The Presiding Officer, owing to the fact his name appeared among those of the nominees, presented his resignation as chairman of the Council. On motion of Mr. Tully the resignation was laid on the table.

The Rev. Samuel Drury, L.H.D., was nominated.

The Presiding Officer led in appropriate devotions.

The Presiding Officer appointed the following tellers:

Clerical vote: The Rev. G. M. Irish, Mr. Robert Morris.

Lay vote: The Rev. A. F. Lowe, Mr. Henry Madden.

On motion, the Council proceeded to ballot for the office of Bishop. All having voted the ballot was declared closed.

The Council took a recess until the sound of the gavel by the chair.

The Presiding Officer called the Council to order.

The tellers made the following report (first ballot):

Number of Clerical votes cast, 86; necessary to a choice, 44. Number of Lay votes cast, 70; necessary to a choice, 36.

| | | Clerical | Lay |
|----------------|-----------------|----------|------|
| The Rev. C. J. | Davis | 21 | 15 |
| The Rev. G. C. | Stewart, L.H.H | 14 | . 19 |
| The Rev. W. T. | Manning, D.D | 17 | 12 |
| The Rev. W. A | R. Goodwin, D.D | 11 | 8 |

| The Rev. D. L. Ferris | 7 |
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| The Rev. C. F. J. Wrigley, D | 7 |
| The Rev. C. A. Jessup, D.D | i |
| The Rev. J. Mockridge, D.D | Į |
| The Rev. S. S. Drury, L.H.D | |
| On motion, the Council took a recess until 7:30 o'clock, | |

TUESDAY, 7:30 P. M.

The Presiding Officer called the Council to order.

On motion, a report of the Financial Board recommending that St. Mark's Church, Le Roy, be admitted to a seat in the Council was adopted.

The Council proceeded to ballot the second time for the office of Bishop. All having voted the ballot was declared closed.

Mr. E. C. Denton, Chairman of the Diocesan Committee on the Church Pension Fund, addressed the Council, and moved the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the annual budget of the Diocese be amended to provide a sum not exceeding \$500.00, to pay premiums on non-parochial clergymen temporarily without cures.

The tellers reported as follows (second ballot): Number of Clerical votes cast, 72; necessary to a choice, 37. Number of Lay votes cast, 60; necessary to a choice, 31.

| | Clerical | Lay |
|--------------------------------|---|-----|
| The Rev. W. T. Manning, D.D | . 29 | 23 |
| The Rev. C. J. Davis | . 30 | `18 |
| The Rev. G. C. Stewart, L.H.D | 6 | 10 |
| The Rev. J. Mockridge, D.D | . 2 | . 2 |
| The Rev. C. F. J. Wrigley, D.D | | |
| The Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, D.D | . 4 | 4 |
| The Rev. C. A. Jessup, D.D | | 1 |
| The Rev. D. L. Ferris | • | 1 |

The Council proceeded to ballot the third time for the office of Bishop. All having voted, the ballot was declared closed.

The tellers reported as follows (third ballot):

Number of Clerical votes cast, 82; necessary to a choice, 42.

Number of Lay votes, 66; necessary to a choice, 34.

| | Clerical | Lay |
|--------------------------------|----------|-----------|
| The Rev. W. T. Manning, D | 49 | ; -, , 38 |
| The Rev. C. J. Davis | 32 | 2.6 |
| The Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, D.D | 1" | |
| The Rev. G. C. Stewart, L.H.D | | 2 |

The Presiding Officer declared the Rev. Dr. Manning duly elected Bishop of the Diocese of Western New York.

The Presiding Officer led in prayers of thanksgiving.

On motion of Rev. Mr. Lord, the election was made uanimous.

On motion, the chair was authorized to appoint a committee to notify the Rev. Dr. Manning of his election. The chair appointed the following:

Committee to Apprise the Rev. Dr. W. T. Manning of his Election: The Rev. C. M. Sills, D.D., the Rev. C. A. Jessup, D.D., the Hon. S. S. Brown.

On motion, the following was adopted:

Resolved, That this Council tender to Trinity and St. Paul's parishes a vote of thanks for the generous hospitality which we have enjoyed during the sessions of the Council, especially to the ladies of these parishes for the excellent luncheon served this noon.

On motion, the Rev. C. J. Davis was added to the Committee on the Division of the Diocese.

On motion, the sum of ten dollars was appropriated to the sexten of the parish.

The Council proceeded to sign the testimonial required by the canons in the case of a Bishop-elect.

On motion, it was resolved that when this Council adjourns it adjourn to meet upon the call of the Standing Committee, provided the Rev. Dr. Manning declines his election.

On motion, one thousand copies of the Journal were ordered printed.

After closing prayers, the Council, on motion, adjourned.

CHRIST CHURCH, ROCHESTER, N. Y., JULY 5, 1917.

The Rev. William T. Manning, D. D., having declined his election to the Bishopric of the Diocese of Western New York, the Eightieth Annual Council of the Diocese, pursuant to a call by the Standing Committee issued in accordance with a resolution of the Council adopted at its last session on June 5th, 1917, met again for the purpose of electing a Bishop of the Diocese and for the transaction of such other business as might properly come before it. The meeting was held at the above time and place.

11:00 A. M.

The Holy Communion was celebrated, the Rev. C. M. Sills, D. D., officiating and the Rev. D. L. Ferris, the Rev. C. J. Davis, the Rev. F. E. Bissell assisting.

12:10 P. M.

The Council met for business, with the Rev. Cameron J. Davis in the chair as Presiding Officer.

The Secretaries read the lists of Clergymen and parishes entitled to seats in the Council.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Goodwin, it was resolved that the Council instruct the Standing Committee to include in its Annual Budget a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars to be used as salary for a Secretary to the Bishop.

On motion, the Council adjourned until 1:45 P. M.

1:50 P.M.

The Council met for business.

The Rev. Mr. Zwicker, for the Financial Board, recommended that Grace Church, Lyons, be admitted to a seat in the Council on the payment of fifty per cent. of its arrearages in assessments. On motion, the recommendation was adopted.

The Presiding Officer inquired if any one desired to make a nomination for the office of Bishop of the Diocese. Such a desire being expressed, the Council, on motion, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Presiding Officer asked the Secretary to preside as Chairman of the Committee.

The Committee of the Whole, its work having been completed according to the requirement of the canons, rose and reported to the Council the following nominations:

The Rev. George Craig Stewart, L. H. D.

The Rev. Alexander Mann, D.D.

The Rev. David Lincoln Ferris.

On motion, the Council proceeded to the election of a Bishop.

The Presiding Officer led in appropriate prayers, and the recitation of the *Veni Creator*.

The following were appointed tellers: Clerical vote, the Rev. G. M. Irish, Mr. Robert Morris; Lay vote, the Rev. H. L. Gaylord, Ph. D., Mr. Henry Madden.

The Council proceeded to ballot for the office of Bishop of the Diocese of Western New York.

All having voted, the ballot was declared closed.

On motion, the Council took a recess until the tellers were ready to report.

The Council came to order and the tellers reported the result of the election, as follows:

| Cle | rical vot | es. La | y votes |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|--------|---------|
| Total votes cast | 84 | | 68 |
| Necessary to a choice | | | 35 |
| The Rev. Alex. Mann, D. D | 61 | | 50 |
| The Rev. George Craig Stewart, L. H. | D. 18 | | 13 |
| The Rev. David L. Ferris | 4 | | 4 |
| The Rev. Cameron J. Davis | 1 | | 1 |

The Presiding Officer declared the Rev. Alexander Mann, D. D., to be elected Bishop of the Diocese of Western New York. The Doxology was sung, and the Presiding Officer led in prayer.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Jessup, the election was made unanimous.

On motion of Mr. Tully, the Chair was authorized to appoint a notification committee of three, of which the Presiding Officer is to be chairman. The Chair appointed the Rev. C. M. Sills, D. D., and Mr. D. M. Beach to join him in apprising the Rev. Dr. Mann of his election.

On motion, it was resolved that when this Council adjourns it adjourn to meet again on the call of the Standing Committee if the Rev. Dr. Mann declines his election to the Bishopric of the Diocese.

The sum of ten dollars was appropriated to the sexton of the parish.

A vote of hearty thanks was adopted expressing to the

Rector, Vestry and parishioners of Christ Church the Council's appreciation of the hospitality enjoyed during its meeting in Rochester.

The Delegates proceeded to sign the canonical testimonial. The minutes were read and, on motion, adopted.

After prayers, the Council, on motion, adjourned, to meet again, if necessary, in accordance with the resolution to do so on the call of the Standing Committee should Dr. Mann decline.

St. Paul's Church, Buffalo, N. Y., October 2, 1917.

11:00 A. M.

The Rev. Alexander Mann, D. D., having declined election to the Episcopate in this Diocese, the Eightieth Annual Council, pursuant to a resolution adopted at its last session and the call of the Standing Committee, met again for the purpose of electing a Bishop and of transacting such other business as might properly come before it.

The Holy Communion was celebrated, the Rev. C. Morton Sills, D. D., being the celebrant, assisted by the Revs. C. A. Jessup, D. D., W. North, L. H. D., C. Davis and D. L. Ferris:

12:00 M.

The Rev. Cameron Davis, Presiding Officer, called the Council to order for the transaction of business.

The Presiding Officer led in brief devotions.

The names of Clergy and Parishes entitled to seats in the Council were read. The members of the Council proceeded to sign registration eards.

The Secretary, for the Committee on Bishop Coxe Library, reported that according to the will of Bishop Coxe the Council has no authority over the library, the title resting in the Cathedral Chapter; and, on motion, the Committee was discharged.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Goodwin, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That this Council commends to the Clergy and Laity of the Church in the Diocese of Western New York, the appeal of the American Bible Society, endorsed by the President of the United States, for funds with which to provide the soldiers and sailors of the United States with a copy of the New Testament, and hereby urges that some provision be made in each parish for making response to the appeal.

On motion it was resolved that the Report of the Committee on Army and Navy Chaplains be made the order of the day during the counting of the vote of the first ballot this afternoon.

On motion the Council adjourned for luncheon.

2:00 P. M.

The Council met for business, the Rev. Cameron Davis, Presiding Officer, in the chair.

The Rev. Mr. Zwicker, for the Financial Board, offered the following resolutions, which were adopted:

That the arrears of St. John's Church, Honeoye Falls, be remitted, and that the parish be admitted to a seat in this Council.

That St. Andrew's Church, Caledonia, be admitted to a seat upon the payment of \$52.00, half of its arrearages.

That the arrears of St. George's Church, Charlotte, be remitted, and the parish be admitted to a seat in the Council.

The Presiding Officer announced that a request to nominate for the office of Bishop of the Diocese of Western New York, was in order. Such a request being expressed the Council, on motion, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole. The Secretary of the Council was appointed Chairman of the Committee.

The Committee of the Whole having concluded its deliberations and having risen, the Chairman reported to the Council that the following nominations had been made for the Bishopric of the Diocese of Western New York:

The Rev. Charles H. Brent, D. D., Bishop of the Philippines; the Rev. D. L. Ferris, the Rev. C. F. J. Wrigley, D. D., the Rev. W. P. Niles, the Rev. J. C. Ward.

Two who were nominated declined nomination,

The Rev. Dr. Ashton nominated the Rev. Cameron J. Davis.

The Presiding Officer led in prayer and the Council recited the Veni Creator Spiritus.

The Chair appointed as tellers:

Clerical vote: The Rev. G. M. Irish and Mr. Robert Morris.

Lay vote: The Rev. H. L. Gaylord, Ph.D. and Mr. Henry Madden.

The Council proceeded to ballot for Bishop of the Diocese of Western New York.

All having voted the ballot was declared closed.

The Rev. Mr. Lord reported for the Committee on Army and Navy Chaplains. On motion the report was received and the committee discharged with the thanks of the Council.

On motion of the Rev. Mr. Lord the following resolutions were adopted:

That the President of this Council be directed to appoint a committee of seven (four elergymen and three laymen) of which he is chairman. The duties of the committee shall be:

- 1. To see that the men who are appointed Chaplains from the Diocese are men who possess suitable qualifications for that work.
 - 2. To see that they are properly equipped for doing their work.
- 3. To bring this Diocese into co-operation in the program of the General War Commission of the Church, and to undertake such other work as it may feel called to do for the social, moral and spiritual preservation of the soldiers and sailors of our country.

The tellers reported on the first ballot as follows:

Total number of Clerical votes cast, 87; necessary to a choice, 44. Total number of Lay votes cast, 58; necessary to a choice, 30.

| | Clerical | Vote Lay Vote |
|--------------------------------------|----------|---------------|
| The Rt. Rev. Charles H. Brent, D. D | 37 | 28 |
| The Rev. Charles F. J. Wrigley, D. D | 17 | 11 |
| The Rev. D. L. Ferris | 21 | 12 |
| The Rev. C. J. Davis | 6 | 4 |
| The Rev. J. C. Ward | 4 | 1 |
| The Rev. W. P. Niles | 1 | 1 |
| The Rev. G. C. Stewart, L. H. D | 1 | 1 |

The Chair declared there was no election.

The Council proceeded to cast a second ballot for Bishop of the Diocese of Western New York.

All having voted, the Chair declared the ballot closed.

The Rev. Dr. Hakes presented the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the Diocese. On motion it was referred to the Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons.

Resolved, That Title III, Section III, Sub-Section Second, of the Constitution of the Diocese of Western New York, be amended by inserting after the words "Diocesan Expenses," in the ninth line of said sub-section, the words "and the Sustentation Fund," making the section read, after amendment, beginning after the period in line four, as follows: But no Lay Delegate shall be qualified for a seat in the Diocesan Council unless he be a member of the congregation he is appointed

to represent, nor until the assessments upon his parish, for the support of the Episcopate and for Diocesan Expenses, and for the Sutentation Fund shall have been fully paid.

On motion of the Rev. Mr. Broughton the Secretary was instructed to send to the Rev. J. C. Ward, Chaplain of the 74th Regiment, N. G., the greetings of this Council.

The Rev. Mr. Barrows, Headmaster of De Veaux College. addressed the Council on matters pertaining to the School.

The tellers made report on the second ballot, as follows: Total number of Clerical votes cast, 87; necessary to a choice, 44. Total number of Lay votes cast, 53; necessary to a choice, 27.

Clerical Vote Lav Vote

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|-------------------------------------|----------|----|
| The Rt. Rev. Charles H. Brent, D. D | 48 | 29 |
| The Rev. D. L. Ferris | 24 | 14 |
| The Rev. C. F. J. Wrigley, D. D | 9 | 7 |
| The Rev. C. J. Davis | 4 | 1 |
| The Rev. G. C. Stewart, L. H. D | 1 | 1 |
| The Rev. W. P. Niles | 1 | 1 |

The Chair declared the Rt. Rev. Charles Henry Brent, D. D., duly elected Bishop of the Diocese of Wstern New York.

On motion of the Rev. Mr. Ferris the election was made unanimous.

The Council sang the Doxology.

The Presiding Officer led in prayer,

The Chair appointed the following:

War Service Commission: The Revs. W. R. Lord, W. A. R. Goodwin, D. D., Samuel Tyler and Messrs. A. B. Houghton, J. K. Walker and Hon. Cuthbert W. Pound.

The Rev. Dr. Ashton, reporting for the Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons, recommended the adoption of the amendment to the Constitution of the Diocese, proposed by the Rev. Dr. Hakes. On motion the recommendation was laid on the table: Ayes 59; Noes 28.

On motion, it was resolved that when this Council adjourns it adjourn sine die.

On motion the Presiding Officer was authorized to appoint a Committee to notify Bishop Brent of his election to be Bishop of the Diocese of Western New York.

The Chair appointed the following:

Committee of Notification: General Edmund Hayes, the Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, D. D., and the Rev. C. H. Smith, D. D.

On motion, the Council extended its hearty thanks to the Rector, Vestry and people of St. Paul's Parish for the generous hospitality enjoyed.

On motion, the sum of ten dollars was appropriated to the Sexton of the Parish.

The delegates proceeded to sign the canonical testimonials for a Bishop-Elect.

The minutes were read and, on motion, adopted.

After prayers by the Presiding Officer, the Council, on motion, adjourned sine die.

CAMERON J. DAVIS,
Presiding Officer.

Attest:

G. Sherman Burrows, Secretary.

CHARLES H. SMITH,

Assistant Secretary.

Delegates in Attendance Supplementary List

Priests

Borton, John N. (B.) Rector St. Philip's Church, Belmont, and Christ Church, Belvidere, Allegany County.

Ottoway, G. H. (R.) Rector Grace Church, Lyons, Wayne County.

Sagar, John (B.) in charge Church of the Redeemer, Niagara Falls, Ni-

araga County. Residence, 639 Thirteenth St.
Shaw, G. A. (B.) Assistant at Grace Church, Buffalo, Eric County. Residence, 1141 West Ave.

Tyler, Samuel (R.) Rector St. Luke's Church, Rochester, Monroe County.

Residence, 132 So. Fitzhugh St. Willcox, R. N. (B.) Rector St. Luke's Church, Jamestown, Chautauqua County.

Deacons

Brown, W. A. (R.) in charge St. John's Church, Phelps, Ontario County. Nixon, W. E. (B.) in charge St. Mary's Church, Gowanda, Cattaraugus County.

Warne, R. (B.) Curate St. James' Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 160 Jefferson Ave.

Laity

Albion: Christ—W. C. Ramsdale.

Batavia: St. James'-F. S. Wood, J. L. Bean.

Branchport: St. Luke's-W. S. Evans, Dr. J. H. Rose. Brockport: St. Luke's—C. M. Paine, H. G. Dobson. Buffalo-

All Saints'-De Forest Porter.

St. John's-J. L. O'Brian.

St. Mark's-H. R. Hutt, A. H. White.

St. Philip's-Mont Tate.

Cuba: Christ-F. H. Miller.

Dunkirk: St. John's-L. N. Murray.

East Aurora: St. Matthias'—R. F. Penton.
Franklinville: St Barnabas'—Dr. Charles Kelley.
Geneseo: St. Michael's—W. D. Shepard.
Geneva: St. Peter's—Geo. C. Stubbs.

Trinity-O J. C. Rose. Geneva:

Hornell: Christ—S. Holland.

Honeoye Falls: St. John's-J. D. Martin.

Le Roy: St. Mark's-S. M. Smith. Lockport: Grace-C W. Pound. Middleport: Trinity-C. F. Ewing. Mt. Morris: St. John's-E. C. Seymour.

Niagara Falls: St. Peter's-A. W. Thompson, G. H. Courter.

Palmyra: Zion—J. K. Williamson. Pittsford: Christ—G. T. Thomas.

Penn Yan: St. Mark's—G. H. Ferenbaugh. Rochester: St. Mark's—Jos. W. McConnell.

Warsaw: Trinity-E. B. Morris.

Memorial Sermon

for the late

Right Reverend William David Walker
D.D., LL.D., D.C.L.
Bishop of Western New York

Preached in Trinity Church, Buffalo Tuesday Evening, May 15, 1917

By The Right Reverend Charles Sanford Olmsted, D. D. Bishop of Colorado

"The Signs of an Apostle"

II Corinthians XII:12

Truly the signs of an Apostle were wrought among you.

In this second epistle to the Corinthians Saint Paul asserts and vindicates his apostleship. In doing so he greatly magnifies his office. His is an authority which he has received not to pull down but to build up. It has come to him from God; and makes him wonder at the heaven in himself. He seems to himself to be foolish in glorying, compelled by his sense of duty to himself no less than to the Corinthians. Two splendid passages are those in which he relates his labours, and glances at visions and revelations of the Lord. The whole letter throbs and trembles with a sense of the awfulness of the gift that God has given him. His heart seems to be shot through and through with Pentecostal consciousness as a cloud in a thunder shower is shot with lightnings. He arrives at a prophetic height of eloquence unequalled in majestic pathos and power, and seems like a Hebrew seer who has knelt on Sinai's slopes, or like Moses who "drew near to the thick darkness where God was."

It was his faith which gave Saint Paul motive and aim. He believed in his office and in Him who ordained it. Therefore He prevailed in the world of souls. He brought multitudes to Christ. He pulled down strong holds of Satan. He fettered the arms of principalities and powers. The signs of an Apostle were wrought in all patience, in signs and wonders and mighty deeds.

Lives of superior usefulness are usually lives directed toward the achievement of one end or at most of a few ends, and impelled by a simple belief in some great effective object. Many fair intellectual gifts and splendid opportunities are of little avail without concentration of purpose and energy. Want of right direction, self knowledge and discipline result in the wreck of multitudes, who might prove useful servants of mankind, in the Church, and of the world, were they trained to exalt some few genuine beliefs as the steadfast stars to lead and guide them through the world, and forgetting wandering orbs and fleeting meteors be contented to follow those from the beginning to the end of their mortal journey.

The late lamented Bishop of Western New York, whose life and labours we commemorate today, was a notable instance of a man who devoted all his powers and faculties to a few worthy objects. Dr. Walker has left behind him a bright memory and a faithful example, as one who was known for loyalty to the faith, love of the Church, joy in its service and a conscientious belief in his office as a Churchman and a bishop.

Your bishop felt the intrinsic value of the Church's great traditions. He knew that vital truths have a way of reasserting themselves and shining out of the obscurity to which men from time to time consign them.

He knew the peril of the one-sided and inadequate, and therefore frequently misleading, findings of the inductive method used by itself. He knew that the Kingdom of God in the world is not a mere abstraction, but only the Church of God on its more spiritual and diffusive side. He knew that the Church is not a loose collection of pebbles, but a woven web of golden threads—not a number of human entities — but a divine unit

under human conditions; that the faith once delivered to the Saints is not a series of discrete propositions, but a unific whole. To this faith as taught by the Holy Catholic and Apostolic Church summed up in the creeds, witnessed by the Holy Scriptures and maintained by the undisputed General Councils, he gave his entire and reasoned and loving loyalty. He trusted nothing less, and laboured for nothing less. To it he gave his heart and mind and soul.

The Church which was his teacher and guide, his monitor and mother, he both revered and loved. It was something to be obeyed. It was never to be patronized with a superior and supercillious air, as what was a just subject of criticism and often of condemnation on the part of its ministers and members. To him it had a heavenly origin—a divine birthplace—and came down from above—adorned with robes provided by the King, all glorious within and imperial in its state. It came to him with gifts and treasures of mystic and majestic worth, whose words were words of wisdom infinite, to undervalue which would be to shew irreverence to its Head—"the minister of the true tabernacle which the Lord pitched and not man". The teacher of the Faith held in her hands the Scriptures of truth and in her heart was the spirit of prophecy and in its presence what could he do but hide his face and listen to its glorious voice. Therefore Scriptures, Liturgies, Canons, Sacraments and Sacramentals, fathers and divines, all appeared before his gaze in solemn procession of spiritual dignity and authority—the very least not without some divinity -none to be treated with levity-none to be relegated

to uselessness and a place of dishonour. A rubric, so long as it remained in force by lawful authority, was by him to be held as sacred—although he would have been the first man in the Church to keep it as faithfully in an altered form as formerly he had in its first construction when by lawful authority it had once been changed.

It was this loyalty to the faith and love of the Church which confirmed that faith which made him so greatly rejoice in the sacred duties of his office as deacon, priest and bishop. He told me he loved to administer confirmation. It appealed to his sense of his fatherly office. He loved to preach, which he always did with a deep recollectedness as feeling he was speaking for Christ and the Church a message not his own, but alive with flames kindled by a heavenly teacher.—He loved the dignity and simplicity, the tone and temper and atmosphere of Anglican worship, and his services on Dakotan plains were rendered with as much propriety as those he might preside over in Westminster or St. Paul's. He was emphatically an Ecclesiastic. In some mouths a mere Ecclesiastic is a term of reproach, because there may have been ecclesiastics who seemed wanting in evangelic piety or sympathy with the world in its more gracious aspects. Your bishop was not so much a mere Ecclesiastic as a very real one, whose spirit had been moulded and formed by the Church, the Sacrament—the Scripture—the Creed—the History, the Literature of the Church; who never forgot his baptism and confirmation, his ordination and consecration, who had no wish to depart from the sanctuary, but to keep the statutes and ordinances of the Lord blameless. The world and its

ways, its books and art and poetry were not outside his sympathy—but entirely subordinate to the Church and its holy ceremonies and age-long precedence. It was this quality that gave him power to enjoy the religion which he learned as a child and never failed to practice, and made his ministry a ministry of Apostolic power. He felt in his own veins the life blood of the Apostles, and treasured the thought that he was doing what St. Paul and St. Peter and St. John and St. James had done in their day and what Augustine and Laud and Seabury and Hobart and DeLancey and Coxe had done in more recent times.

The old-fashioned virtue of conscientiousness was strongly developed in your bishop and was one of the signs of his apostleship. Sensitive as was his nature, he never flagged or faltered when a serious duty was to be performed, and he suffered himself in the exercise of discipline far more than could those who might fall under his admonition. This made many occasions of his life very sublime in a spiritual view. It is a noble thing to suffer in the performance of duty, to forget one's own convenience or comfort in order to arrive at some end divinely ordered, and necessary to the benefit of the Church of God. A true gentleman never retaliates; but he may often seem to be severe in the exercise of discipline, while all the time he is the real sufferer.

It was this quality of conscientiousness which made the bishop careful in small matters, and herein one could wish his example might be widely followed. Hurried Services: cheap Sermonizings, Catechisings without study and preparation, Choir offices without unction — Sacraments without an awful apprehension of the Divine Presence—are possible only when priest and people are wanting in this glorious virtue of conscientiousness.

From his will recently made the following extracts will shew the bishop's mind as his feet were entering the waves of the river through which we all must go. They are worthy to be always treasured in the memory of his faithful clergy and people.

"First: I go forth from this sphere of work with a firm undimmed belief in the One Triune God—Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

Second: I go forth having confidence unfeigned in the Holy Saviour's love, and sacrifice on the Cross, for all His own, and for me, unworthy,—a sinner,—in the hope of salvation, alone through His precious blood.

Third: I go forth in the comfort that has come to me by the hallowed ministrations of this Holy Branch of the Catholic Church, linked, through its Order, to the first age, and to its Precious Head, Jesus, my Saviour, by unfailing Ministry and Sacrament and Ordinance which He hath given and blessed through the passing ages.

Fourth: I go forth from that sacred Fellowship here, with a joy, in the light of that truth, which is revealed in the Heavenly Word, vouchsafed to men, in the Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments.

I have found an exquisite joy in its Heavenly Comfort and in the performance of the functions of my ministry, life through.

This joy has been intensified through the generous and gracious co-operation and fellowship of the hosts of my brethren, elergy and laity, who have joined affectionately with me in labor for our precious Lord and in His Holy Church.

This testimony I feel constrained to give out of my heart as I bid them farewell here on earth."

And now he is gone. From this scene of labour and care, of anxiety and disappointmeent, of baffled hope and weariness and painful circumstances—from the incomplete and unideal, he is gone to dwell with the spirits of just men made perfect in a country where as St. Augustine said, no enemy ever enters and from which no friend ever passes away. He is gone to be with apostles and saints and martyrs, with white-robed elders and starry souls where the palm trees overshadow the waters and there is clear shining after rain. And for us he waits low—remembering the end of his conversation—"Jesus Christ the same yesterday, today and forever."



(B)

Episcopal and Other Acts

1916

May 16. Niagara Falls, St. Peter's Church. Opened the Annual Council of the Diocese.

May 16. P. M. Service and read my Annual Address.

May 17. A. M. Celebrated the Holy Communion and presided during the day.

May 18. Afternoon. Buffalo. Interviews with three clergymen.

May 18. P. M. Buffalo. Conference with a Vestry.

May 19. A. M. Buffalo. Interview a layman and three clergymen.

May 19. P. M. Buffalo. Interview with a vestryman.

May 20. Buffalo. Conference with Secretary of the Diocese.

May 21. A. M. Niagara Falls. St. Peter's. Ordination service for Deacon.

May 21. Afternoon. St. Ambrose Chapel. Confirmed three. Preached and addressed them.

May 21. P. M. Church of the Redeemer. Confirmed sixteen. Preached. Addressed the class.

May 23. Buffalo. Interview with a clergyman.

May 24. A. M. Wellsville. Consecrated the Church. Confirmed one in private. Confirmed thirty-two. Preached and addressed the class.

May 24. P. M. Cuba. Confirmed ten. Sermon. Address.

May 25. A. M. Buffalo. Interview with a clergyman.

May 25. Afternoon, Buffalo. Conference with Secretary of the Diocese and finished copy for the Journal.

May 26. A. M. Rochester. Interviews with two clergymen.

May 26. P. M. Rochester. Trinity Church. Confirmed twenty. Preached and addressed them.

May 28. A. M. Geneseo. Confirmed twelve and five from Piffard, Sermon. Address.

May 28. P. M. Mt. Morris. Confirmed four and one from Perry. Preached and addressed them.

May 29. Buffalo. Conference with the Archdeacon.

May 30. Buffalo. Interview with a Vestry.

May 31. A. M. Buffalo. Interview with a clergyman.

May 31. P. M. Westfield. Officiated at service and made an address to the Woman's Auxiliary.

June 1. A. M. Westfield. Celebrated the Holy Communion. Addressed the Woman's Auxiliary.

June 1. Afternoon. Buffalo. Interview with an Italian Methodist mainister.

June 2. A. M. Buffalo. Interview with Secretary of the Standing Committee.

June 2. P. M. Oakfield. Confirmed twenty-one. Preached and addressed the class.

June 4. A. M. Hornell. Confirmed thirty-five. Preached and addressed the class.

June 4. Afternoon. Addison. Confirmed five. Made an address.

June 5. A. M. Buffalo. Met with the clerus.

June 7. A. M. Buffalo. Interview with a clergyman.

June 8. P. M. Canandaigua. Confirmed sixteen. Preached and addressed the class.

July 2. Buffalo. Laying of corner-stone of Grace Church by rector acting for me. Sent letter to be read on the occasion.

July 18. Buffalo. Meeting with a vestry.

July 24. Buffalo. Meeting with Clerus to prepare memorial to Rev. Dr. Regester.

July 25. Buffalo. Interview with two clergymen.

July 27. Buffalo. Dictated many letters.

July 28. Buffalo. Conference with two of the elergy.

July 29. Buffalo. Interview with a rector.

July 31. Buffalo. Consulted with a elergyman regarding sale of Church property.

August 1. Buffalo. Interview with a vestryman and a clergyman recently come into the Diocese.

August 3. Buffalo. Interviews with a layman and a clergyman.

August 4. Buffalo. Given over to correspondence.

August 7. Buffalo. Conference with the Archdeacon.

August 9. Buffalo. Conference with Secretary of the Standing Committee.

September 8. Buffalo. Interview with a rector.

September 9. Buffalo. Received calls from two clergymen.

September 12. Buffalo. Four clergymen called.

September 13. Buffalo. Attended meeting of the clergy.

September 14. Buffalo. Interview with a Roman priest seeking admission to the Church.

September 15. Received calls from two clergymen.

September 18. DeVeaux Trustee called,

September 19. Interview with Archdeacon and a layman. Calls from two elergymen.

September 21. Call from a St. Andrew's Brotherhood officer.

September 26. Interview with a clergyman from Rochester concerning improvements and repairs of Church property.

September 27. Conference with Archdeacon of Buffalo.

September 28. Wrote many letters.

October 1. A. M. Newark. Class of fifty-five confirmed by Bishop

of Central New York at Custodial Asylum; fifteen at St. Marks.

October 1. Afternoon, Charlotte, Ten confirmed by Bishop of Central New York.

October 1. P. M. Rochester. Epiphany. Sixteen confirmed by Bishop of Central New York.

October 2. Buffalo. Interview with a clergyman.

October 4. Buffalo. Interview with a lay delegate to General Convention.

October 6. Buffalo. Conference with a Methodist minister seeking the Church,

October 7. Buffalo. Interview with a warden of a parish followed by one of the rector of a parish.

October 8. Buffalo. Officiated at celebration of Holy Communion in See House Chapel,

October 10. Buffalo. Calls from two clergymen.

October 11. Buffalo. Conference with Warden of DeLancey Divinity School and two postulants. Also interview with a rector,

October 12. Buffalo. Calls from three clergymen.

October 15. Buffalo. Officiated at service in See House Chapel.

October 16. Buffalo. Interview with the Archdeacon.

October 17. Buffalo. Conference with a clergyman regarding the crection of a new Church.

October 18. Buffalo. Call from a clergyman from out of town.

October 19. Buffalo. Interview with Secretary of Standing Committee.

October 20. Buffalo. Call from a Buffalo rector. Dictated many letters.

October 21. Buffalo. Calls from two clergymen.

October 22. Buffalo. Officiated at service in See House Chapel.

October 23. Buffalo. Two rectors from out of town called.

October 28. Buffalo. Confirmed a Methodist minister and his wife in See House Chapel.

October 29. Buffalo. Officiated at Holy Communion at See House Chapel.

October 30. Buffalo. Conferences with two clergymen.

October 31. Buffalo. Interview with a Methodist minister seeking the Church, also with two elergymen.

November 1. A. M. All Saints' Day. Celebration of the Holy Communion in See House Chapel. Officiated.

November 1. Afternoon. Interviews with four clergymen. Call from Bishop McCormack.

November 2. A. M. Buffalo. Meeting of Buffalo Clerus at the See House.

November 3. Buffalo. Call from a curate recently come into Diocese.

November 5. A. M. Buffalo. Officiated at Holy Communion in See House Chapel.

November 5. Afternoon, Buffalo, Interview with a warden from an out-of-town parish.

November 6. Buffalo. Conference with the Archdeacon.

November 8. Buffalo. Calls from two officers of the Woman's Auxiliary and Bishop of Porto Rico.

November 10. Buffalo. Interview with rector of a parish.

November 12. Buffalo. Celebrated in See House Chapel.

November 13. Buffalo. Conference with the Archdeacon.

November 14. Buffalo. Call from a rector regarding a divorce case.

November 15. Buffalo. Confirmation of a Methodist minister in See House Chapel. Interviewed three lecturers of the DeLancey Divinity School.

November 16. Buffalo. Call from a clergyman.

November 17. Buffalo. Conference with a rector regarding Church extension work and interview with a layman on Church Home matters.

November 18. Buffalo. Interview with Archdeacon, also with a rector and his new curate.

November 19. A. M. Buffalo. Celebration in See House Chapel. November 19. Afternoon. Buffalo. A meeting with a vestry. Sent out correspondence concerning vexatious divorce question.

November 20. A. M. Buffalo. Meeting of Buffalo Clerus.

November 20. Afternoon, Buffalo. Meeting with a member of the Standing Committee.

November 23. Buffalo. Conference with the Archdeacon.

November 25. Buffalo. Call from a member of Church Home Board of Managers. Sent letter to Canandaigua for Centennial celebration.

November 26. Buffalo. Officiated in See House Chapel.

November 27. Buffalo. Conference with the Archdeacon. Interview with a deacon.

November 28. Buffalo. Calls from a clergyman and a layman.

November 29. Buffalo. Sent letter to be read at burning of the mortgage of the Church Home. Interview with a lawyer on a vexed divorce question.

November 30. Buffalo. Call from a rector. Officiated at Thanksgiving Day service in See House Chapel.

December 3. Buffalo. Celebration in See House Chapel.

December 4. Buffalo. Call from the Bishop of Bethlehem and Dr. Smith.

December 5. Buffalo. Inspected new parish house of St. Clement's Church.

December 7. Buffalo. Conference with the Archdeacon.

December 9. Buffalo. Interview with the rector of a parish.

December 10. A. M. Buffalo. Ordination of a deacon at St. James by the Bishop of Central New York.

December 10. P. M. Buffalo. St. Mary's. By the Bishop of Central New York confirmed thirty, three from Church Home and one from St. Philip's.

December 11. Buffalo. Interviews with warden of DeLancey Divinity School and former Roman priest.

December 12. Buffalo. Interviews with warden of Divinity School and a Methodist minister.

December 13. Buffalo. Calls from a clergyman and a layman.

December 14. Buffalo. Meeting of Missionary Committee at the See House.

December 17. Buffalo. Service in the See House Chapel. Confirmed by the Bishop of Central New York at St. Andrew's, Rochester, nine; Pittsford, sixteen and four from Bushnell's Basin.

December 18. Buffalo. By the Bishop of Central New York, one baptism and confirmed eight at Honeoye Falls.

December 19. Buffalo. Sent letter on Pension Fund to be read at Rochester Archdeaconry. Call from a rector. By the Bishop of Erie, twenty-two confirmed at Salamanca.

December 20. Buffalo. Celebrated at Holy Communion in See House Chapel, commemorating the 33rd anniversary of my consecration. Received many congratulations. By the Bishop of Erie, seventeen confirmed in Canaseraga.

December 21. Buffalo. By the Bishop of Erie, 59 confirmed at the Church of the Epiphany, Niagara Falls. Meeting of DeVeaux Trustees at the See House.

December 24. Buffalo. Officiated at morning prayer in See House Chapel. By the Bishop of Erie, seven confirmed at Medina and fourteen at Albion.

December 25. Buffalo. Christmas Day. Celebrated the Holy Communion in See House Chapel.

December 27. Buffalo. Issued letter to the Buffalo Clerus. Interview with a clergyman asking for deposition.

December 30. Buffalo. Deposition in See House Chapel in presence of three clergymen.

December 31. Buffalo. Service in See House Chapel. Call from a Postulant.

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January 1. Buffalo. Celebrated Holy Communion in See House Chapel. Call from one of the clergy. Wrote twelve letters.

January 2. Buffalo. Visit from Bishop of Erie who has come to assist me.

January 2. P. M. By the Bishop of Erie, seventeen confirmed at St. Andrew's, Buffalo.

January 3. By the Bishop of Erie, three, and one in private, confirmed at East Aurora.

January 4. By the Bishop of Erie, sixty-nine confirmed at Jamestown.

January 5. Buffalo. Interview with the Secretary of the Standing Committee.

January 6. Buffalo. Conference with a former Roman Catholic priest.

January 7. Buffalo. Service in See House Chapel.

January 8. Buffalo. Accepted Letter Dimissory of a clergyman. Interview with a layman.

January 9. Buffalo. Call from a dissatisfied rector.

January 10. Buffalo. Signed consent for mortgage for a Buffalo Church.

January 11. Buffalo. Interview with a rector. Dictated numerous letters.

January 13. Buffalo. Call from a clergyman.

January 14. Buffalo. Officiated in See House Chapel. Call from Rev. Dr. Manning.

January 15. Buffalo. Call from warden of DeLancey Divinity School.

January 16. Buffalo. Meeting of the Standing Committee at the See House.

January 17. Buffalo. Interviews with the Secretary of the Standing Committee and a Methodist minister, now a postulant. Accepted Letter Dimissory of a clergyman recently come into the Diocese.

January 18. Buffalo. Received Recantation from a Roman Catholic priest at a service in the See House Chapel in the presence of three clergymen.

January 20. Buffalo. Interview with a warden of an out-of-town parish.

January 21. Buffalo. Celebrated the Holy Communion in the Sec House Chapel.

January 22. Buffalo. Conference with the Archdeacon.

January 23. Buffalo. Received call from a rector recently come into the Diocese. Wrote ten letters.

January 24. Buffalo. Interview with a rector leaving the Diocese. January 25. Buffalo. Call from the warden of the DeLancey Divin-

ity School.

January 26. Buffalo. Accepted Letter Dimissory of a rector.

January 27. Buffalo. Calls from an Assyrian Deacon, rector of a parish and President of the Laymen's League.

January 28. Buffalo. Service in See House Chapel.

January 29. Buffalo. Conference with the Secretary of the Diocese.

January 30. Buffalo. Interviews with two clergymen. Much correspondence.

January 31. Buffalo. Calls from a clergyman and a layman.

February 1. Buffalo. Calls from a clergyman and a layman.

February 3. Buffalo. Issued Visitation List. Calls from a clergyman and two laymen.

February 5. Buffalo. Call from the Bishop of Chicago.

February 6. Buffalo. Call from two elergymen and Bishop Suffragan of New Jersey.

February 7. Buffalo. Call from a former clergyman of the Diocese.

February 8. Buffalo. Call from a former Buffalo curate. Arrival of the Presiding Bishop as a guest in the See House.

February 9. Buffalo. Received call from a Rochester clergyman. Reception for the Presiding Bishop at the See House. Interview with a chairman of the Pension Fund.

February 10. Buffalo. Conference with Secretary of the Diocese. Wrote letter to be read at Pension Fund Luncheon,

February 11. Buffalo. Sent letter to St. Paul's, Buffalo, for Thank Offering Centennial service. Read by Bishop Tuttle.

February 12. Buffalo. Bishop Tuttle left us.

February 14. Buffalo. Call from a missionary from Akita, Japan, and from another elergyman.

February 16. Buffalo. Busy all day writing letters.

February 17. Buffalo. Conference regarding Laymen's League.

February 18. Buffalo. Officiated at service in See House Chapel.

February 19. Buffalo. Interview with the Archdeacon.

February 20. Buffalo. Interviews with two clergymen recently come into the Diocese. Witnessed the return of the 74th Regiment.

February 21. Buffalo. Ash Wednesday. Service in See House Chapel.

February 23. Buffalo. Accepted Letter Dimissory of a Rochester curate.

February 24. Buffalo. Conference with the Archdeacon and a licensed elergyman.

February 25. Buffalo. Morning Prayer.

February 26. Buffalo. By the Bishop of Central New York, confirmed eleven at Branchport, eight at Penn Yan, eight at Himrods. Call from two clergymen and one layman.

February 27. By the Bishop of Central New York, confirmed eleven at Lyons.

February 27. Buffalo. Conference with the Archdeacon and a Methodist minister seeking Holy Orders.

February 28. Buffalo. Interview with two Syrian priests and a layman.

March 1. Buffalo. Call from Bishop Rowe and a former rector.

March 2. Buffalo. Interviews with two clergymen.

March 4. Buffalo. Service in See House Chapel.

March 6. Buffalo. Bishop Olmsted of Colorado arrived to take Visitations. Interview with a clergyman and a layman.

March 6. Buffalo. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed twenty at St. Simon's and eleven from Epiphany Mission.

March 7. Buffalo. Interview with the Secretary of Buffalo Clerus.

March 7. Buffalo. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed one at Stafford and ten at LeRoy.

March 8. Buffalo. Conference with a vestry. Calls from three DeVeaux Trustees.

March 8. Buffalo. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed thirteen at St. Philip's.

March 9. Buffalo. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed eleven at Ascension, Rochester.

March 11. Buffalo. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed twenty-one at Grace Church, Lockport. four, and one from Middleport at Christ Church, Lockport; eleven at All Saint's Church, Buffalo.

March 12. Buffalo. Bishop Rowe arrived as guest at the See House. Sent Greeting by Bishop Rowe to Buffalo District Meeting of Woman's

Auxiliary at St. Paul's. By Bishop of Colorado, confirmed fourteen, St. Thomas', Buffalo.

March 13. Buffalo. Took Bishop Olmsted and Bishop Rowe to address students of the DeLancey Divinity School. Witnessed return from Border of Troop I and 3rd Artillery. Meeting of the Missionary Board. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed thirteen and one from St. James', at St. Clement's, Buffalo.

March 14. Buffalo. Calls from three students of the Divinity School and two clergymen. Bishop Rowe left. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed two at Kenmore.

March 15. Buffalo. Call from a clergyman leaving the Diocese and a Missionary from Japan. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed fourteen at Church of the Holy Communion, Buffalo.

March 16. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed six at St. Stephen's, Rochester.

March 17. Buffalo. Interview with a warden of a parish.

March 18. Buffalo. Officiated in See House Chapel. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed seventeen at Trinity, Geneva; twenty-four at St. Peter's, Geneva.

March 19. Buffalo. Received calls from two clergymen. Accepted Letters Dimissory of four clergymen. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed forty-nine at Corning.

March 20. Buffalo. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed thirtyeight at Olean. Calls from two elergymen and the Bishop of Kingston, Canada.

March 21. Buffalo. Interview with Secretary of Standing Committee. Confirmed a class of sixty-one at Grace Church, Buffalo. Bishop Olmsted preached.

March 22. Buffalo. Call from a licensed clergyman. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed twenty-five at Hornell.

March 23. Buffalo. Meeting with a vestry. Call from a rector. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed twelve at St. Stephen's, Buffalo.

March 25. Buffalo. St. Paul's, confirmed fifty-one. Made short address. Bishop Olmsted preached the sermon. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed twenty-five at the Good Shepherd; twenty-five at the Church of the Ascension, Buffalo.

March 26. Buffalo. Unpleasant interview with a clergyman. Meeting of Missionary Board at the See House.

March 27. Buffalo. Conference with the Archdeacon. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed six at St. Peter's, Buffalo.

March 28. Buffalo. Interviews with two laymen, a clergyman and the Bishop of Colorado.

March 29. Buffalo. Interview with the Secretary of Standing Committee. By the Bishop of Colovado, confirmed three at St. Mark's, Buffalo.

March 30. Buffalo. Long interview with a rector, entering my protest against the transformation of a Parish House, formerly a Church, into a Five Cent Moving Picture Theatre. P. M. Confirmed fifty-three at St. James', Buffalo. Bishop Olmsted preached.

March 31. Buffalo. Conference with a vestry and interview with a clergyman.

April 1. A. M. Buffalo. Trinity. Confirmed twenty-six. Made an address. Sermon preached by Bishop of Colorado. Afternoon. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed twenty-six at St. John's.

April 1. P. M. Buffalo. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed nine at St. Luke's.

 $\mbox{\sc April}$ 2. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed twelve at North Tonawanda.

April 3. Buffalo. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed twenty-four at St. Jude's, Buffalo.

April 4. Buffalo. Interviews with a rector, arranging for the consecration of his Church; with a rector and his warden regarding the introduction of Moving Picture Theatre into the parish; with a warden in reference to the calling of a new rector.

April 5. Buffalo. Celebrated the Holy Communion in the See House Chapel. Issued Pastoral Letter for Easter.

April 6. Buffalo. Officiated at service in See House Chapel.

April 7. Buffalo. Conference with a warden regarding recalcitrant rector.

April 8. Buffalo. Easter Day. Officiated at early celebration in See House Chapel. Attended service at St. Paul's. Took part in the service.

April 9. Buffalo. Long conference with the Archdeacon of Buffalo.

April 10. Buffalo. Interview with a Methodist minister desiring to become a postulant in the Church, the fifth one to apply this year. Issued certificates of Canonical Standing to twelve persons.

April 11. Buffalo. Busy with correspondence.

April 12. Buffalo. Interview with an out-of-town parishioner concerning parish difficulties. Call from a city rector.

April 13. Buffalo. Prolonged conference with a large committee over change of rector. Call from a former elergyman of the Diocese.

April 14. Buffalo. Interview with the Secretary of the Diocese, also with a layman. P. M. Meeting with a committee from an out-of-town troubled parish.

April 15. A. M. Buffalo. Celebrated the Holy Communion in See House Chapel.

April 15. Afternoon. Buffalo. St. Paul's. Officiated at the service. Designated Trooping of the Colors.

April 16. Buffalo. Interview with the Secretary of the Diocese and a clergyman.

April 17. Buffalo. Conferences with a Bishop, a clergyman and a layman. Confirmed by the Bishop of Colorado, twenty-four at Lancaster.

April 18. Buffalo. Interviews with two Lecturers of the DeLancey Divinity School and a student.

By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed fourteen at Brockport.

April 19. Buffalo. Busy with correspondence. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed seven, and one from East Rochester, at Fairport.

April 20. Buffalo. Painful interview with a clergyman requesting deposition. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed twenty-seven at Palmyra.

April 21. Buffalo. Conference with a warden of a parish on troublesome matter.

April 22. Buffalo. St. Mary's-on-the-Hill. Took part in service and made an address. By the Bishop of Colorado, in Rochester, confirmed forty-two at St. Luke's, ten at St. Thomas', fourteen at St. Mark's.

April 23. Buffalo. Interview with a warden of an out-of-town parish, also with a rector in the city. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed five at Mt. Morris.

April 24. Buffalo. Presided at an all day session of the Buffalo Archdeaconry in the Church of the Ascension.

April 24. Confirmed by the Bishop of Colorado, six at Geneseo.

April 25. Buffalo. Interviews with three clergymen and the Bishop of Colorado.

April 26. Buffalo. Left for Rochester.

April 26. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed nine at DeVeaux, fifteen at St. Peter's, Niagara Falls.

April 27. Rochester. Presided at the Rochester Archdeaconry meeting at St. Luke's. Afterwards inspected improvements in the Church of the Epiphany.

April 27. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed nine at Youngstown. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed three at Lewiston.

April 28. A. M. Rochester. Inspected newly acquired property at the Church of the Ascension.

April 28. Afternoon. Avon. Inspected parish house which has been converted into a Moving Picture Theatre, for benefit of the parish, in spite of my many protests. A sad experience for me.

April 29. A. M. Rochester. Confirmed twenty-eight at Christ Church. Made an address. Bishop Olmsted of Colorado preached.

April 29. Afternoon. Rochester. Confirmed by the Bishop of Colorado, sixteen at Trinity.

April 29. P. M. Rochester. St. James', Confirmed ten. Made an address. Sermon by Bishop of Colorado.

April 30. Clifton Springs. Called on three of my clergy who are ill at the Sanitarium. Returned to Rochester and called on another sick clergyman.

May 1. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed fifteen at Fredonia.

May 1. By the Bishop of Colorado, confirmed thirty at Dunkirk.

May 1. Wrote three letters before leaving Rochester for Buffalo, also one at Batavia. Arrived in Buffalo 3.30 P. M. Wrote long letter in evening to a warden of a parish where my request for the display of our National flag met with opposition.

Here the record of the "Episcopal and other acts" for the year was suddenly terminated by the call for the Bishop to cease his earthly labors—but it was in his mind and heart to express his deep appreciation and gratitude to the Bishop of Central New York, the Bishop of Erie, and the Bishop of Colorado, who in true brotherly kindness so graciously

came to his aid in order that the administration of his Diocese might not be hampered. His heart was gladdened by receiving these generous offers of assistance, and renewed strength came when the anxiety was lifted from his mind, that those who had looked forward to the Rite of confirmation could now be accorded that privilege. He rejoiced to hear, from nearly every parish, of the deep spiritual help and inspiration received from the visiting Bishops, who in turn expressed their delight in the cordial and hospitable welcome extended to them.

The total number confirmed—1,505—exceeds that of the past ten years.



Changes by Letters Dimmissory

TRANSFERRED.

Allen, Albert W. Crum, Rolfe P. Denny, L. C. Gordon, W. M. Harrison, Lewis C. Ryan, Jesse A.

RECEIVED.

Bennett, Edmund
Burleson, John K., D.D.
Cosbey, Edward
de Mauriac, H. de W.
Evans, Samuel
Marchant, Francis M.
Marvin, Hobart L.
Sills, Edmund
Sloane, Rush R.
Tyler, Samuel
Wilson, J. G.

Ordination

DIACONATE.

Salisbury, William Warne, Richard

Depositions

Fairburn, Robert H. Kerrin, John T.

APPENDIX II.

Reports of Officers and Committees

(A) Report of the Standing Committee

To the Eightieth Annual Council of the Diocese of Western New York, The Standing Committee herewith reports its official acts for the diocesan year 1916-17.

June 14, 1916.—The Committee met and organized by the election of the Rev. C. Morton Sills, D.D., and the Rev. Walter North, L.H.D., as President and Secretary respectively.

Assessments were continued at the same rates: Sustentation—one per cent on Current Income.

Support of the Episcopate—two per cent.

Diocesan Expenses—three per cent.

The Committee approved the expenditure of \$7.68 for binding journals

as suggested by the Registrar.

The Committee accepted the offer of the Trustees of the Church Charity Foundation to furnish a room for the archives of the diocese at an annual rental of fifty dollars, the diocese to pay the expense of necessary improvements.

Mr. J. W. Crafts and the Rev. Walter North, L.H.D., were appointed

a committee to make the alternations required.

The President and Secretary were appointed a Special Committee to make assessments for Sustentations, Support of the Episcopate and Diocesan Expenses, and to prepare the usual card of offerings to send to the parishes.

Some advice asked by the Bishop was accordingly given.

September 12, 1916—Consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. Irving Peake Johnson, D.D., Coadjutor Bishop-elect of the Diocese of Colorado.

William S. Salisbury, candidate, was recommended for Deacons' Orders; Kenneth Clyeveland Hyde as a candidate for Holy Orders. Consent was given the Church of the Epiphany, Rochester, to mortgage its property in a sum not to exceed twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), for improvement of their Church buildings.

November 21, 1916—The Rt. Rev. Sheldon Munson Griswold, D.D., Missionary Bishop of Salina, was approved as Suffragan Bishop-elect of

Chicago.

W. Edward Nixon and William A. Brown, Methodist Ministers, were recommended as candidates for Holy Orders.

The following Resolution was adopted:

"Learning with deep regret of the indisposition of the Bishop of the Diocese, it is hereby moved that he be requested to procure for the winter, such assistance from his Rt. Rev. Brethren as he may deem necessary, and that the traveling expenses thus incurred be a charge upon the Diocese."

Consent was given the Church of the Ascension, Rochester, to mortgage certain property in a sum not to exceed four thousand dollars (\$4,000), for the purpose of necessary improvements.

The Secretary was directed to express the sympathy of the members of the Committee for the Hon, Selden S. Brown on his illness with best wishes for a speedy improvement.

January 16, 1917—Consent was given St. John's Church, Buffalo, to mortgage its property in a sum not to exceed forty thousand dollars (\$40,000), for the purpose of building a new Church.

Consent was given to the admission of the Rev. F. M. Marchant, a priest of the Roman obedience to the priesthod in the Protestant Episcopal Church.

Richard Warne, candidate, was recommended for Deacons' Orders.

On motion the Bishop, at his own request was authorized to draw upon the Treasurer of the Diocese for traveling expenses, not drawn by him in previous years, for payment of expenses of bishops performing services for him as authorized by the Standing Comimttee.

The following resolution was adopted:

"Whereas, Owing to a probable readjustment in the method heretofore pursued in dispensing the revenues derived from the Christmas Fund made necessary by the adoption of the Church Pension Fund,

"And Whereas, It is anticipated that action bearing upon this important subject may be taken at the next annual meeting of the Diocesan Council, therefore in order that a carefully matured plan may be previously arranged concerning the future method of administering the revenues of the Christmas Fund, it is therefore

"Resolved, That the Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, D.D., Eugene C. Denton and Albert S. Walker be appointed a Committee to formulate a plan providing for this anticipated action, and to submit the same to the next meeting of the Diocesan Council.

February 17, 1917—Consent was given to the Consecration of the Rev. Granville Hudson Sherwood, Bishop-elect, of Springfield.

Consent was given to the election of a Coadjutor Bishop in the Diocese of Iowa, for the reason of extent of territory.

March 24, 1917—Ferdinand W. Goldsmith was recommended as a candidate for Holy Orders.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Standing Committee ratifies and approves the Canon adopted by the Diocesan Council, relative to the Church Pension Fund and hereby authorizes the Treasurer of the Diocese to pay any and all assessments which under the said Council of the Diocese are chargeable against the funds of the Diocese.

May 3rd, 1917—The committee having heard with great regret of the sudden death of our beloved Bishop, on motion a special committee was appointed to prepare appropriate resolutions on our great loss.

On motion the committee requested the Bishop of Colorado to continue the confirmations appointed by our late Bishop.

A special committee upon military chaplains was appointed, of which the Rev. Walter R. Lord was made chairman.

The report of De Veaux College was received and referred to a special committee.

Whereas, in the diocese of Western New York, as in all parts of the country, there is a drift from the country to the cities, to provide for which new territory in the cities is constantly being opened for residence purposes, territory in which the Church should be represented by the establishment of missions according to a definite policy.

And whereas, in Buffalo especially are many foreigners, notably Italians without Church allegiance, to whom the Church is fitted to minister acceptably.

And whereas, although both of these facts point to the need of a greater concentration of effort upon the cities, two things stand in the way of such greater concentration, namely, first, the territorial extent of the diocese which makes it impossible for one Bishop to give especial attention to any one section of it; and, second, a lack of funds with which to provide adequate missionary supervision of the country and cities; also; therefore,

Resolved, that in the opinion of the members of the Standing Committee, steps should be taken at once to ascertain the advisability and possibility of providing for a greater concentration of effort upon the cities, by a territorial division of the diocese; and to ascertain further, provided such division is found advisable, what territorial limits should be set and what condtions should obtain, in making such division.

All which is respectfully submitted,

WALTER NORTH, Secretary.

(B) Report of the Treasurer

OF THE DIOCESE OF WESTERN NEW YORK, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR, MAY 1916 TO MAY 1917

RECEIPTS.

| For Objects within the Diocese: \$3,834.13 Episcopate Fund \$3,834.13 Diocesan Expense 6,799.41 Sustentation Fund 1,325.28 Education Fund 23.75 | \$11 98 9 57 |
|---|---------------------------------------|
| For Objects outside the Diocese: Foreign, Domestic and General Missions and American Church Building Fund Balance Education Fund, May 1, 1916. Balance Sustentation Fund, May 1, 1916. Balance Diocesan Expense, May 1, 1916. | 39.00 617.73 991.05 2,252.05 |
| | \$15,882.40 |

DISBURSEMENTS.

| Episcopate Fund: | |
|--|-------------|
| Episcopate Fund: To D. M. Beach, Treasurer Diocesan Expenses—To: | \$ 3,834.13 |
| Diocesan Expenses—To: | 4 0,000 |
| G. S. Burrows, Secretary \$200.00 | |
| G. S. Burrows, Postage | |
| W. North, Secretary | |
| W. E. Moore, Treasurer | |
| Spendelow Printing Co | |
| Rent See House | |
| Bishop's Traveling Expense 300.00 | |
| Rent Archives Room | |
| Expense New Archives Room | |
| Sexton Niagara Falls | |
| Turner & Porter | |
| General Board and Pew Committee, Religious | |
| Education 784.80 | |
| Expenses Synod N. Y. & N. J | |
| Joint Com. Social Service. 297.09 | |
| M. M. Bork, Binding Journal. 7.50 | |
| Niagara Printing Co | |
| General Convention Expense | |
| Expense Com, on Apportionment 4.90 | |
| General Convention Journal | |
| Hamilton Printing Co | |
| J. C. Post, Paint | |
| W. D. Walker, Traveling Expense, arrears 600.00 | |
| Church Pension Fund | 5,390.32 |
| Church reasion rund 50.55 | 0,000.02 |
| | |
| Amount forward | \$9,224,45 |
| Sustentation Fund—To: | φυ,ωω1.10 |
| J. H. Parsons | |
| E. H. Martin | |
| C. C. Gove | |
| L. L. Buisch | |
| F. F. Rice | |
| J. H. Harendeen | |
| W. C. Compton | |
| W. S. McCoy | |
| H. L. Marvin | |
| F. J. Angel 99.73 | 991.05 |
| r. v. mgci | 001.00 |
| Education Fund Expense—To: | |
| Kenneth C. Hyde | 50.00 |
| Foreign, Domestic, General Missions and American Church | 50.00 |
| Building Fund | 39.00 |
| Balance May 1, 1917, Education Fund | 591.48 |
| Balance May 1, 1917, Sustentation Fund | 1,325.28 |
| Balance May 1, 1917, Diocesan Expense | 3,661.14 |
| Datance May 1, 1911, Diocesan Expense | 5,001.14 |
| | \$15,882.40 |
| Respectfully submitted | Ψ±0,002.10 |

Respectfully submitted, WILLARD E. MOORE, Treasurer.

(C) Diocesan Missions

Report of the Archdeacon of Buffalo

To the Rt. Rev. W. D. Walker, D.D., LL.D., Bishop of Western New York: Rt. Rev. Father in God:

The Archdeacon hereby tenders his annual report on the condition of the missionary work in the Archdeaconry of Buffalo, comprising the seven and a half counties in the western end of the Diocese.

Like all reports of this nature there can be very little change from the ordinary report, as its record of work must be largely of routine nature. Yet there is evidence here and there of growth and progress of the Church work we record this year. More missionaries of the Board in the field than in any previous year. Wherever there is a possibility of assuming a support for a clergyman with the help of the stipend from the Board the place or places are filled with competent workers. There are nine new missionaries in the field which have come to us during the year. Five men have left the field, and only three of those who were with us a year ago are with us today. The several missionary parishes and missions are today manned by 12 Priests, 1 Deacon and 1 candidate for orders—14.

During the year regular services of the Church have been provided for in 55 places in Church buildings, halls and homes: (1) By the Archdeacon, (2) by Missionaries of the Board, (3) by Clergy in charge of missions, and (4) by the members of the Missionary Layman's League, who, in addition to serving in mansions, also read the services in a number of institutions in the city. The cost of maintaining all this work has been about \$5,000.00.

The following are the Parishes and Missions ministered to regularly by the missionaries of the Board during all or part of the year:

Buffalo, St. Phillip's and Lackawanna, Rev. R. A. Bennett.

Angelica and Belfast, Rev. J. H. Herendeen.

Warsaw and Attica, Revs. Messrs. Russell and Leach.

Belmont and Belvidere, Rev. J. N. Borton,

Cuba and Friendship, Revs. Messrs. Sherwood and Wilson.

Ellicottville and Springville, Rev. J. H. Parsons.

Youngstown and Lewiston, Rev. M. Sheppard.

Perry, Rev. P. Isherwood.

Randolph, East Randolph and Little Valley, Rev. P. B. Hoffman.

Hamburg and Orchard Park, Rev. R. A. Forde.

Gowanda and Newtown, Mr. W. E. Nixon.

Indian Work, The Archdeacon.

Deaf Mute Work, Rev. H. Van Allen.

The following places or missions are termed Parochial Missions, whose Rectors assume this extra parish duty: In the city: St. Mark's Chapel, Epiphany and Eric County Hospital. Outside: Lackawanna, Blasdell, Brookside, Olcott, Boardmanville, Ripley, Echota and Allentown.

The Laymen's Missionary League, whose members are licensed by the Bishop of the Diocese to read the Church services whenever called upon by the Archdeacon and Superintendent of the League. The readers have maintained regular services in the absence of the Archdeacon at Angola, Brant, Corfu, Darien Center, Depew, Franklinville, Springville, Williamsville (8), and in the different institutions in the city.

The Archdeacon has regularly each month during the year officiated and administered the Holy Communion and performed other duties of his office in the following Missions and Parishes: Alden, Angola, Belmont, Belvidere, Bolivar, Brant, Corfu, Darien, Depew, East Randolph, Forestville, Franklinville, Friendship, Hinsdale, Irving, Little Valley, Newtown, Randolph, Silver Creek, Sinclairville, Williamsville—21.

The following Missionary Parishes and Missions have become vacant during the year, whose ministrants were receiving stipend from the Missionary Board:

Rev. L. W. Denny resigned Silver Creek, Irving and Forestville in November last, and on January 15, 1917, he was succeeded by the Rev. Samuel Evans of Kansas.

Rev. W. T. Sherwood resigned Cuba and Friendship in July last, and was succeeded by the Rev. Mr. Willson of Maryland, on August 1st.

Rev. Harry Bruce resigned Hamburg, and Orchard Park in May last, and was succeeded by the Rev. Mr. Forde.

Rev. Mr. Abbott resigned Mayville in September last and after three years of faithful and devoted work the Bishop appointed Rev. T. H. Delbridge in charge under license.

Rev. Mr. Russell resigned Warsaw and Attica in July last, and was succeeded by the Rev. Mr. Leach on April 15, 1917.

The following clergy have been appointed by the Bishop of the Diocese to the following places:

The Rev. John N. Borton, Deacon, in charge of Belmont and Belvidere, June 1, 1916.

The Rev. Paul B. Hoffman, in charge of Randolph, East Randolph and Little Valley, August 1, 1917.

The Rev. Percy Isherwood, in charge of Perry.

The Rev. Mr. Bennett, in charge of St. Philip's, and Steel Plant, Aug. 1, 1916.

The Indian Work—Never has the Indian work been better cared for, nor the people more responsive to the Church services. The Sunday School is growing. The work of the Choir is very commendable. The offerings are more than common to meet some of the expenses. I believe the clergy who had the pleasure of officiating in the Church during the Lenten season can testify to all the statements concerning the field. Mr. Clough, a member of the League, is doing good work, and is constant in his attention in the demands of the field. I may mention two occasions, which is to say the least, to show what hold the Church has on these people. The one, a Communion Service, held in one of the homes of our people, where nineteen persons were present, ten of whom received the Holy Communion, and two of their number present, adults, were received into the Church through Holy Baptism.

The other occasion was on Good Friday. A family unable through illness to attend the Church service in the Church requested a service suitable and appropriate for the day to be held in their home. The service was held at which a goodly number were present. We cannot estimate or value, by dollars and cents, such services among a people who have only known of the Church for a few years. It speaks well for the Church and work and the great need to emphasize and encourage the Church among a people who appreciate what is being done for them.

Would that somthing might be done for these people in a social way, I suggested in my report last year that we secure an unoccupied school house situated near the Church and maintain it as a social center. These people need just such a place where they could gather together for social intercourse and amusement. Their lives are void of any such pleasure. I wish something might be done or some action taken to insure some way through which the social lives of these people committed to our charge might be improved and helped.

The work in the Archdeaconry for which the Archdeacon is personally responsible and to whom the people and the Missions of the community look to him for spiritual guidance and pastoral care. I mean those Missions where the Archdeacon only officiates and where the members of the Laymen's League read the services on the Sundays when he is clsewhere. They help the work very much and thereby give the people the privilege of attending and worshipping in the Church services, which they would not have only for the Lay Reader's presence. I desire here to thank the League and its members for its loyalty and devotion in the Church Missions.

Chautauqua.—It became my pleasant duty again last summer, at the request of the Bishop to assume charge and be responsible for the services in the chapel of the Good Shepherd during the Assembly season. This is certainly a very important point for the Church to be represented, and services should be maintained regularly by some responsible to officiate at the appointed time. There are at times, during the season, from 12 to 20 thousand people gathered here, who are communicants of the Church.

The usual services during July and August were held as follows:

Sundays: Holy Communion at 8 and 9 A. M. Morning Prayer and Ante-Communion at 10 A. M. Evening Prayer on Wednesday evenings and Litany on Friday evenings of each week during the season.

| | Times | Attendance | Average |
|---------------------------|-------|------------|--------------|
| Morning Prayer, Sundays | . 9 | 1380 | $\sqrt{153}$ |
| Holy Communion, Sundays | . 18 | 1140 | 63 |
| Evening Prayer, Wednesday | . 9 | 741 | 82 |
| Litany, Friday | . 9 | 410 | 45 |

In reference to the proposed headquarters for the Church, at Chautauqua, committees have been appointed to secure funds and pledges and subscriptions. They will report at the annual meeting, usually held in August. The lots have been paid for and are held by the Trustees of the Diocese.

Your Archdeacon desires here to express his grateful thanks to the Bishop for his continual kindness shown me, and the Clergy for their interest in the Missionary work of the Archdeaconry, for the many services held by them during the Lenten Season and to the Superintendent and Members of the League for the reading of the services in the several Missions, in the absence of the Archdacon.

The personal report of your Archdeacon for all official acts during the year past, exclusive of the Church Services—not performed in one or more Missions but spread over 25 or more places—are as follows:

| | Times Attendance | Average |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------|
| Morning Prayer | 60 3593 | 59 |
| Evening Prayer | | 30 |
| Litany and Penetential Office | 49 | |
| Holy Communion, Public | 125 3155 | 25 |
| | (Receiving) | |
| | 2625 | 21 |
| Holy Communion, Private | , 15 | |
| · | | |
| To | otal, 423 | |
| Sunday School Teachers 30 | Confirmations | 21 |
| Sunday School Scholars230 | Marriages | |
| Holy Baptism: | Burials | |
| Adults 3 | Sermons and Addresses | 325 |
| Infants 19 | Meetings in the Int | erest of |
| - | Missions | 35 |
| Total | Hospital Visits | 74 |
| Sunday School Festivals 7 | Pastoral calls | 1200 |
| Sunday School Picnies 7 | | |
| Your Archdeacon takes the fol | lowing data from the | consolidated |
| report of the work of the Archdeacor | | |
| prepared by General H. C. Hodges for | the Missionary Board fr | om February |
| 1, 1916, to February 1, 1917: | • | * |
| Public Services 1372 | Confirmed | 26 |
| Attendance | Marriages | |
| Collection\$1648.24 | Burials | |
| Baptismal Services 32 | Sunday School Session | |
| Baptized | Teachers | |

Respectfully submitted,

263

3944

Holy Communion Services

Communicants

Confirmation ...

G. W. S. AYRES, Archdeacon of Buffalo.

3473

\$49.27

Scholars

Offerings

REPORT OF THE TREASURER.

Mr. W. H. D. Barr in account with the Archdeaconry from April 26, 1916, to April 24, 1917.

| To | Balance April 26, 1916 | \$3,477.99 |
|----|--------------------------------------|------------|
| | Offerings from Parishes and Missions | |
| | Advent Sunday School Mite Boxes | |
| To | Deaf Mute Work | 22.86 |
| To | Arrears of 1916 | 472.74 |
| То | Interest in Permanent Fund | 981.52 |
| To | Interest, M. & T. Bank | 96.76 |
| To | Woman's Auxiliary for Indian Work | 100.00 |
| | Bishop Walker Fund | |
| | Little Helpers | |

Treasurer.

| To Mrs. W. D. Walker | 15.00 |
|---|------------------------|
| DISBURSEMENTS. | \$8,682.82 |
| Salary of the Archdeacon, stipends of the Missionaries, Printing, | |
| etc. Balance April 24, 1917 | \$4,636.77 4,046.05 |
| Balance of the salary of the Archdeacon and stipends of the aries due May 1, must be paid from the above balance. | e Mission- |
| Respectfully submitted, W. H. D. BARI | ₹. |

Report of the Archdeacon of Rochester

Rt. Rev. Wm. D. Walker, Bishop of the Diocese, and Brethren of the Clergy and Laity.

Each year I find it more and more difficult to set forth in words all that enters into the work which your general missionary may have attempted to accomplish during the previous twelve months. Statistics are such cold mechanical things one dislikes to use them. They tell nothing concerning the thousand and one petty details which enter into, and constitute so large a part of the life of one who is called to serve in various capacities, and in differing localities.

Rural churches, like rural roads, must often be negotiated with caution and skill, if one is to avoid landing in the ditch. And yet, to one who has the true missionary spirit in him, obstacles act only as an incentive to greater effort.

As a preface to my report I am hinting at the sharp turns, and dangerous crossings which lie in the pathway of your general missionary, for these things are seldom mentioned on occasions of this character. Missionary reports are apt to follow the improved roads, and one to read them, would imagine the life and work of a missionary to be a continuous "Joy Ride." But because I have given this phase of the work precedence in my report, I would not have it assume that position in your minds. These things constitute the "Thorn in the flesh" sent to "buffet me" lest in the blessings which fall to my portion, I should be "Exalted above measure."

During the past year, with the help of lay readers, and certain of the clergy, regular Sunday services have been maintained at Hunts, Caledonia, Charlotte, Victor, Shortsville, East Rochester, Dresden, Himrod, Montour Falls, Holcomb, Fairport and Manchester.

At Bradford and Wayne services are held during the summer months by the rector of Hammondsport, and the Rev. Mr. Burrill of Brockport ministered to the people of Holley up to January 1st. We hope that he will again take up this work.

At Sodus Point, Dundee, Wolcott and Nunda, only occasional services have been held. At Union Hill and Spencerport, I hope to again build up a work, but the prospects at Spencerport are not encouraging.

Personally I have held 129 services having officiated at Dundee, Himrod, Dresden, Wolcott, Sodus Point, Shortsville, Fairport, East Rochester, Hunts and Nunda. I have baptized 26 and presented 9 for confirmation. I have performed 2 marriages and officiated at 9 funerals.

The work at Fairport under the care of the Rev. Mr. Kates of Palmyra has had a great awakening and on the 19th of this month he presented a class of seven for confirmation.

Mr. Kates feels that he can serve at Fairport only until such time as a successor may be found. The people will be very sorry to give him up. In connection with East Rochester, Fairport presents an inviting field of labor for some one, and we hope soon to find the right man. These places are rapidly growing suburbs of Rochester.

At East Rochester, on the seventh of last month, we celebrated our second anniversary by declaring our property out of debt, and the same has been deeded in trust to the Trustees of the Parochial Fund.

We hope to have the building consecrated as soon as the Bishop can arrange to come to us. Ours is the only church property in the town which is free from debt. While our membership has not increased in number very much, it is nevertheless, of a much more substantial chahracter, and our people know what they go to church for. Our ambition has been to lay a foundation upon which another might build, and having accomplished this, I feel that my personal work is done.

At Charlotte our mission under the Rev. Mr. McCoy has enjoyed another year of prosperity, and the people have in mind plans for the enlargement of their church building. The work at Shortsville has also prospered, and on Easter morning I baptized four infants, and administered the communion to thirty-eight communicants, that being the largest number ever having communed at any one service.

The Rev. Mr. Woodard, having accepted the rectorship of the church in Scottsville, made vacant by the removal of the Rev. Mr. Raines to Clifton Springs, has also accepted the care of our mission at Caledonia.

Under the energetic leadership of the Rev. Mr. Leach of Honeoye Falls, the mission at Holcomb has had regular ministrations, and the attendance and interest has steadily increased. Mr. Leach has accepted a call to the church in Warsaw, and we trust someone may soon be found to take up the work which he is leaving.

At Nunda we hope this summer to be able to have the church building put into habitable condition.

The rectory, for many years an eye-sore, has been greatly improved, and is now an ornament to the town. It is rented to good advantage.

At Hunts, our other mission in Livingston county, regular services have been maintained by a lay reader, Mr. Martlin, who has been faithful to his trust. Aside from this, Hunts has had the ministrations of the Rev. Mr. Stanton of Buffalo and myself. With our property in Nunda in good condition, and the establishment of a new mission station at Dalton, this Livingston county group will present an attractive field of labor for someone.

The Rev. Mr. Raines in entering upon the rectorship of the church at Clifton Springs, also assumed charge of our mission at Manchester. The work at this point has never shown more than meager returns, and Mr. Raines has been in charge too short a time to change the conditions. We hope that he may be able to do so. The missions in Yates county, Dundee, Dresden and Himrod, present an inviting field. The combination of an

automobile, an adequate salary, and an energetic man, might work wonders in this Yates county group. The question is, are we willing and able to provide it?

The problem of properly serving our rural churches has not in any degree been simplified during the past year. At the beginning of the christian era the church recognized the necessity of an increase in her working force, and gave instruction to seek among her members for "Men of good report, and full of the Holy Ghost," whom she might set apart for certain duties. The inability of the church of today to provide a class of men capable, and willing to serve in the smaller towns and rural districts of this, and other dioceses, would seem therefore to call loudly for a revival of the ancient order of deacons.

In these latter days, in the great success which has attended her efforts to raise a pension fund, the church has demonstrated her financial ability to provide a living for any and all who may be dependent upon her; if she wills so to do.

In order to secure, and place men in our more important mission fields, large stipends must be granted from the treasury of our Board of Missions. The cost of the bare necessities of life has in the past few years advanced with giant strides; and the end is not yet. To meet this, if we are to adequately provide for our present field of operations, there must be a more generous policy pursued. Or if men are not available for the fields now open, then some man should be secured for the office of the archdeacon who can, on the salary attached to the office, provide more frequent week right services at points now receiving only occasional Sunday celebrations.

An unmarried man could devote more of his time and salary to the work, and to the expense of traveling from place to place. If the field can be supplied with men in full orders, your present archdeacon will be left free to exercise more fully his special gifts in the establishment of other missions, and the building of new churches.

On the other hand, if the members of our communion elect to have the mission work of the church carried on, on a fifty cent basis, they must not expect dollar results.

With one exception there is not a village, or rural community in this archdeaconry where one or more of our christian brethren of other names, have not resident ministers caring for their respective charges seven days in the week, while in the same locality our church maintains a feeble existence under the present policy of an occasional service. Under such conditions we cannot hope for any growth in numbers. The man who is on the ground seven days in the week, is there to further the interests of his particular denomination, and he is entitled to the spoils of the chase. We may say that our people should remain loyal to the church, and so they should, and many of the older members do, but it is folly to preach loyalty to the rising generation when the church fails to demonstrate her loyalty to them by providing men and means to minister to their spiritual necessities.

There is an easy way out of our difficulty which is being widely advocated today, and that is, to disregard our Lord's command "Give ye them to eat," and by withdrawing from certain communities bid our people seek elsewhere for the "Bread of Life."

In two or three instances this plan has been followed, and empty church buildings now stand as monuments witnessing to the fact that "We also at one time ran," but that the race was too swift for us.

If the church is to be regarded simply as an organization to be entered in competition with a great variety of other religious organizations, then this plan can be followed with impunity and we may logically go even further and say, that if the church has no special mission, but exists only as a competitive organization, then she has no right to set up her banner in any community, regardless of either its size, or the number of religious societies already established there.

On the other hand if in her sacramental teaching, she has a message which she has been commissioned to deliver to the world, then it is our duty to see to it that men and means are provided to enable her to carry the same into every home in our land.

Far be it from me to disparage the great and good work being done by our Christian brethren of other names, the existence of these bodies is a living witness to the fact that in time past the church has neglected to fulfil the mission committed to her, and that in her vision she has failed to see the height, and depth, and length and breadth of the love of God.

Personally I believe that the Church can give a reason for her existence, and for this reason I feel myself constrained to serve at her altar.

For the coming year I would suggest for the Yates county group of missions, an appropriation of seven hundred dollars and an automobile. For East Rochester, Fairport and Union Hill an appropriation of six hundred dollars and an automobile. I believe that with such appropriations, supplemented by what the missions can themselves raise, we could get good men to take these fields and thus leave me free to arrange for other groupings.

I should like to try this plan for a year or so. It is now being successfully worked in other dioceses.

If such a proposition, as has been here suggested, could be put in force, I believe our people would give to it a large and enthusiastic support.

At the present time we have sufficient funds in our treasury to finance such an undertaking for one year. Why not try it?

In the hope that the year now before us may be one of greater opportunity and service, this report is respectfully submitted.

Faithfully yours,

W. L. DAVIS, Archdeacon of Rochester.

May 1st, 1917.

SUMMARY OF TREASURER'S REPORT.

Rev. G. Sherman Burrows, Tonawanda, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Burrows:

I give you herewith a brief summary of our Archdeaconry Report as promised, and thank you for calling my attention to the matter.

Yours very truly,

ALBERT C. WALKER,

Treasurer.

MAY 1, 1916.

| On hand | | \$1,351.55 |
|----------|----------------|------------|
| From the | Permanent Fund | 981.51 |

| For Deaf Mute Missions | |
|--|-------------|
| Salary and Traveling Expense Archdeacon\$ 1,900.00 Stipends for Mission Work | \$ 5,423.68 |
| | \$ 3,445.52 |
| Balance on hand May 1, 1917 | \$ 1,978.16 |

Report of the Missionary to Deaf Mutes

To the Venerable, the Archdeacon of Buffalo:

I very respectfully submit the following report of my work as Missionary to the Deaf during the year just closed:

My appointment as Missionary dates nominally from May 1, 1916, but it was not until the middle of June that I was formally authorized to begin work. The present report, therefore, covers a period of only eleven months.

Coming to the Diocese practically a stranger, I have had much to learn, and the first year has been devoted mainly to the study of conditions. I have attempted little as yet in the way of extending the work. The city of Buffalo in itself is a large field which might well absorb the entire time and energies of a single missionary. At the services held in that city people are usually present from Tonawanda, Niagara Falls, Lockport, Arcade and East Aurora, with occasional attendants from more distant points. The only other point in the Archdeaconry that seems pressingly to need the attention of the Missionary is Jamestown, and so far I have been unable to visit that city. In Buffalo services have been held once a month throughout the year, except in August, each alternate service being a celebration of the Holy Communion with sermon. There has been one baptism, that of an infant. There have been three social meetings of the Mission which I have attended. I have made a considerable number of house to house visits, most of them on the sick and aged.

Unfortunately I have kept no separate account of my expenditures on account of the work in the Archdeaconry of Buffalo—in fact, as my journeyings usually cover both Archdeaconries, it is impossible to determine with just what proportion of my expenses each is fairly chargeable. I therefore submit the following financial statement for the entire Diocese: The offerings of the deaf at services and various small contributions from hearing people have amounted to \$67.26. My expenditures for travel, postage, stationery, etc., have amounted to \$175.01. There has thus been a deficit of \$107.75, which I have myself met out of my stipend of \$400 a year (\$200 from each of the Archdeaconries).

The offerings of the deaf have been smaller than usual, partly owing to the fact that I have deemed it unwise to place too great emphasis

on money matters at the start. Perhaps no other people suffer more from systematic exploitation than do the deaf—they are asked and expected to contribute to numberless charitable and secular objects. As a result, they are rather disposed to view with suspicion efforts to interest them. It has thus seemed wisest to try to convince them that the Church is after their hearts and minds rather than their money. During the later months of the year the offerings were larger, and I am confident that ultimately the deaf people will be more than able to meet the "running expenses" of the work. But till they do the Missionary must either sacrifice a part of his stipend or curtail the work. I prefer to do the former.

To sum up briefly, my first year's experience convinces me that the Church in the Diocese of Western New York has a splendid opportunity among the deaf and dumb people. While Christians of many names are represented among them, all have received me with the greatest kindness. The attendance at services has been exceedingly good, even after the first novelty has worn off. We already have a little body of faithful and earnest communicants in Buffalo and I am hopeful that the number will be added to by confirmations during the coming year. The Missien is exerting a genuine moral influence in the community. I am very hopeful for the future—the opportunities for work for the Master are large, and are limited only by the means at my disposal.

Thanking the members of the Archdeaconry for many kindnesses and courtesies shown me, I am,

Very faithfully yours,

H. VAN ALLEN.

(D) De Lancey Divinity School

Report of the Warden

To the Board of Religious Education, Diocese of Western New York.

The Warden of the DeLancey Divinity School respectfully presents his report as to the condition of the School for the year 1916-17 as follows: Lectures and instructions have been given monthly (with the usual summer vacation) from May to April, inclusive, and the annual examinations were held in June.

This year's chapter in the history of the School is remarkable, both for the number and personnel of the students who have come to us.

A year ago I reported four students in attendance. Of these, Messrs. Sagar and Salisbury, after three years' work, graduated with the diploma granted for completing the course of study prescribed, were subsequently ordered to the Diaconate and in their present labors give promise of a devout and devoted ministry. Mr. Goldsmith completes his middle year next month, but Mr. Doughty from the Central diocese has not attended classes this year. He hopes to be able to take up the work of the Senior year when the School reopens in the autumn.

We now come to a remarkable experience in our history. With the opening of the term in October we received four students, Messrs. W. A. Brown, J. E. Balmer, and W. E. Nixon, all ministers in the M. E. Communion, and F. M. Marchant, a Dominican priest of the Roman Church. Subsequently, to these were added the Rev. J. DeL. Scovil, in deacon's order, from the diocese of Central New York, and Messrs. S. Schofield and J. H. Rayner also from the M. E. Body. Of the above, three have had collegiate training and three have pursued the five years' course prescribed by the Methodist Board for candidates for their ministry.

Messrs Sagar and Salisbury, after their graduation, wisely determined to continue their connection with the School in the study of special subjects. Thus we have had ten students in regular attendance, a number, I think, never before reached in any one year in the history of the School and remarkable in the fact that so many of them have come to us from the Methodist ministry. I may add that the two others of our present students, both now in Holy Orders, came to us from the Methodists and that at least five of the seven were baptized and received their early education in the Church. Another, not from the Methodists, attained early manhood as a Churchman and studied in a Church college and then left us for a while.

I may be pardoned the digression in saying that our School year has been a most happy one, largely rendered so from the fact that so many of our students are rejoicing that they have returned "home."

Applications for admission to the School next term have already been received and are under consideration.

We ask the parochial elergy of both dioceses, as also the Chapters of the Brotherhood of S. Andrew and others who may be interested to "look us out men," whom we might help prepare for the Sacred Ministry but who are so circumstanced as to be precluded from becoming students in the larger Seminaries.

We are indebted to the Rev. Geo. H. Gaviller, rector of All Saints' Church, Buffalo, for the gift of fifty-six volumes of the Parker Society Library, to the Library of the School. This is, indeed, a valuable addition to our collection and merits more than this formal acknowledgement.

The putting in of additional shelving has made necessary the shifting of the more than forty-two hundred volumes in our Library, a labor consuming considerable time. This has been accomplished; the books are again in order and in their proper sections. The additions to the Library, since the catalogue of 1904 was printed—about 2000 volumes—have yet to be copied from the MS catalogues and prepared for the printer before the supplementary catalogue, for which permission has been given, is published.

Of the \$75.00 appropriated by the Board, last year, plus the balance of \$14.13 in the Warden's hands, carried over from the year previous, for the purchase of text and other books \$79.00 has been expended, leaving a balance in the Farmers & Merchants Bank of \$9.58.

In view of the increased number of students and of the outlook for additional students next term, the Warden thinks that an appropriation of \$100.00 for the book fund is not too much to ask for the coming year.

The Warden has received since May 1, 1916, on orders issued by your Secretary, on the Treasurer of the Parochial Fund, the sum of \$525.00. He had a balance in hand May 1, 1916, of \$60.29. He has received from Bishop Fiske, coadjutor of Central New York, \$21.80 for expense incurred for one of his students, making the total sum received \$607.09. He has expended, as per itemized accounts sent from time to time to the Secretary of the Board of Religious Education, to date, the sum of \$551.30, leaving

in his hands a cash balance of \$55.79. In addition to the above the Warden has received the honorarium for the lecturers of \$700.00 which passed through his hands May 23, 1915, and also the \$75.00 for the Book Fund as above accounted for.

Again we put on record our appreciation of the interest manifested by the Rectors of Trinity Church, Buffalo, and Trinity Church, Geneva, in placing at our disposal rooms in their parish houses.

In common with the Diocese we have to regret the illness of the Bishop which prevented his visits to the sessions of the School with the single exception of his coming to the class-rooms in March, bringing with him the Bishops of Colorado and Alaska who, with himself, addressed the students.

With an increased number of students the interest and enthusiasm of all the instructors has been intensified. The students have been regular in attendance and faithful in the performance of assigned duties.

The Warden tenders his thanks to the Board for the encouragement given him in the discharge of the duties of his office.

THOMAS B. BERRY,

Warden.

60 Park Place, Geneva. May first, 1917.

(E) Report of the Trustees

FOR THE CARE AND MANAGEMENT OF THE FUND FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE EPISCOPATE OF THE DIOCESE OF WESTERN NEW YORK, MAY, 1916.

To the Eightieth Annual Council of the Diocese of Western New York, May, 1917.

The Trustees for the Management and Care of the Fund for the support of the Episcopate of the Diocese of Western New York respectfully report as follows:

The principal of the Episcopate Fund at the present time is as follows:

| Bonds and mortgages as per list appended on Real Estate | \$34,610.00 | |
|--|-------------|-------------|
| Miller 119-acre farm near Brockport sold under contract reduced annually by payments of | 2,000.15 | |
| \$100 | 2,000.15 | \$36,610.15 |
| Notes of parishioners | | 200.00 |
| | | \$36,810.15 |
| Walker legacy made up by | | |
| Mortgage, Mathias Kellev Mortgage | | |

| Cash, Security Trust | 300.00 | 5,000.00 |
|---|-------------------------|-------------|
| Cash—Rochester Trust and Safe Deposit Co Delancy Fund | \$ 6,709.82 1,709.55 | 8,419.37 |
| Total principal of the Episcopate Fund | | \$50,229,52 |
| Total principal of the Episcopate Fund | | φυυ,229.02 |

Of this cash deposited in the Rochester Trust & Safe Deposit Company, up to this year there has been included \$2,086.43 from special collections, taken up at the time of the Bishop's visit for the purpose of increasing the endowment fund. This year these special collections amount to \$541.03, or \$50.41 more than last yar, and the total amount derived from these collections has been from the beginning \$2,627.46.

The list of churches contributing to this fund is hereto annexed.

The mortgages held are amply secured and the interest on the same is promptly paid. Annexed to the report is a tabulated statement showing mortgages held.

| Receipts from income this year have been as follows: Received from the Treasurer of the Diocese From interest on mortgages and bank balances | \$ 3,834.13 2,639.31 |
|--|-------------------------|
| | \$6,473.44 |
| Expenditures for the year have been: | |
| Bishop's salary \$ 5,000.00 | |
| Audit 20.00 Treasurer's Bond 12.50 | |
| Treasurer's Bond 12.50 Clerical Services 25.00 | |
| Postage stamps, box, etc | |
| | \$ 5,068.86 |
| Surplus income over expense for the year Add Surplus of May, 1916 | \$ 1,404.58 5,903.27 |
| Present surplus income over expense | \$ 7,307.85 |

This \$7,307.85 surplus is not considered in any other cash account asset, and is carried in a surplus account in the Union Trust Company hearing interest at 4%, the interest going into the Income Account under Receipts from Interest. It is carried this way to show accumulation of income over expense. In 1906 this amount was \$229.00; it has grown since that time to the amount of \$7,307.85. Your Trustees can see no good reason for carrying the whole of this amount in this way. We would suggest that \$5,000.00 of this fund be transferred to the Endowment Fund, increasing that Endowment Fund \$5,000.00 and still leaving somewhat over \$2,000.00 as surplus.

The salary of the Bishop is paid to May 1st, 1917, and there is no other indebtedness.

A committee of the Trustees have examined the books of the Treasurer and find that same have been correctly kept. Have checked up bank balances and find amount on deposit agree with figures above.

As directed by the Council, the books of the Treasurer will now be audited by a Public Accountant, and his certificate will be attached to this report.

Episcopate Fund

| BONDS SECURED BY MORTGAGES ON REAL ESTA | TE. |
|---|----------|
| SARAH E. SULLIVAN | |
| GEO. BAXTER | |
| CLARA M. HOUCK | 3,000.00 |
| RALEIGH FARRAR | |
| RALEIGH FARRAR | |
| WM. F. CHANDLER | 2,450.00 |
| H. J. CHASE | |
| MRS. ELLEN TIBBITTS | 2,500.00 |
| SAMUEL STEVENS | |
| I. H. MARVIN | 2,100.00 |
| RAYMOND GROH | 350.00 |
| RITTERSBACHER | 500.00 |
| M. M. JOSEPHS | 3,800.00 |

| RICHARD SCHMIDT | |
|--|----------------------------|
| NICHOLAS VALERIO | |
| Total | \$34,610.00 |
| WALKER LEGACY. | |
| H. ROGER KELLY | |
| AUGUST MATTEIS | 1,900.00 lue, |
| Total | \$39,310.00 |
| CERTIFICATE OF AUDITORS. | |
| To the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund, Rochester, N. Y. | 8, 1917. |
| Gentlemen: Pursuant to your instructions we have examined the accounts of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund of the Diocern New York for the period from May 1, 1916, to Aprinclusive, and herewith report as follows: The Principal of the Episcopate Fund at April 30 1917, | ese of West- |
| amounts to | \$50,229.52 |
| Represented by the following items: \$39,310.00 Bonds and Mortgages on Real Estate | |
| \$41,510.15 | |
| Cash in Banks: Rochester Trust & Safe Deposit Co.\$8,419.37 Security Trust Company | |
| | 50,229.52 |
| The only transactions affecting Principal during the period examined were: Receipts from Special Collections\$ 541.03 Principal at April 30, 1916 | 50,229.52 |
| period examined were: | \$50,229.52 \$50,229.52 |

| The transactions affecting Income during the period were as follows: | |
|--|------------------------|
| Receipts | \$6,473.44 5,068.86 |
| Surplus Income at April 30, 1916 | \$1,404.58 5,903.27 |

7,307.85

The foregoing statement has been correctly prepared from the books and accounts furnished, and is in agreement with the statement in the report of the Trustees for the year ending April 30, 1917, as submitted to us.

We have examined all entries for the period mentioned above, and found them to be correctly made, and have seen vouchers for all the disbursements during the period, except that for the payment by draft of \$833.35 on April 30, 1917, for salary to May 1, to Bishop William D. Walkr, who died on May 2, 1917; which voucher we are informed has not yet been returned.

The amounts shown as balances in banks are in accordance with the certificates furnished by officers of the respective Trust Companies.

We have examined the securities and found them to be as per list attached to report of Trustees and as shown above, in the Deposit vaults.

Very sincerely yours,

W. SALVIN TAYLOR & CO.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE PRINCIPAL OF THE ENDOWMENT FUND, 1916-1917.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS.

| St. Stephen's Church, Olean, N. Y | \$ 11.50 |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| St. Thomas' Church, Rochester | 5.67 |
| Trinity Church, Lancaster | 11.89 |
| St. Peter's Church, Niagara Falls | 15.34 |
| Good Shepherd Church, Buffalo | 11.21 |
| St. Mark's Church, Buffalo | 3.53 |
| St. Mark's Church, North Tonawanda | 12.38 |
| St. James' Church, Hammondsport | 4.40 |
| St. Phillip's Church, Buffalo | 3.50 |
| St. Peter's Church, Forestville | 1.00 |
| Christ Church, Rochester | 24.00 |
| Holly Communion Church, Buffalo | 10.68 |
| St. Mark's Church, Rochester | 6.58 |
| Holy Redeemer Church, Niagara Falls | 7.70 |
| St. Paul's Church, Rochester | 33.31 |
| St. Michael's Church, Oakfield | 4.00 |
| St. John's Church, Canandaigua | 7.33 |
| Redeemer Church, Addison | 4.15 |
| Christ Church, Cuba | 3.85 |
| St. James' Church, Rochester | 16.00 |

| St. Michael's Church, Geneseo | 15.75 |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| St. Johns' Church, Mount Morris | 7.36 |
| St. John's Church, Buffalo | 14.35 |
| Epiphany Church, Rochester | 11.28 |
| St. Ambrose's Church, Niagara Falls | 6.82 |
| Trinity Church, Canaseraga | 5.16 |
| St. John's Church, Honeoye Falls | 3.12 |
| Penn Yan Church | 10.10 |
| St. Luke's Church, Branchport | 2.70 |
| St. Simon's Church, Buffalo | 12.00 |
| Christ Church, Lockport | 7.29 |
| Grace Church, Lyons | 4.37 |
| Stafford Church | 2.05 |
| Christ Church, Corning | 23.65 |
| Christ Church, Hornell | 11.25 |
| Ascension Church, Buffalo | 21.02 |
| Trinity Church, Buffalo | 46.75 |
| St. Luke's Church, Buffalo. | 9.15 |
| St. Peter's Church, Buffalo | 6.38 |
| St. Clement's Church, Buffalo | 10.34 |
| St. James' Church, Buffalo | 25.60 |
| St. Paul's Church, Buffalo | 38.76 |
| Grace Church, Lockport | 18.50 |
| Trinity Church, Lancaster | 7.10 |
| Christ Church, Pittsford | 6.89 |
| St. Luke's Church, Fairport | 4.08 |
| Zion Church, Palmyra | 7.50 |
| St. Mark's Church. Buffalo | 3.69 |

(F) Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Jund

Secretary's Report

Geneva, N. Y., April 25, 1917.

Rt. Rev. Wm. D. Walker, D.D., Bishop, etc.

Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:

As Secretary of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York, I make the following report:

The terms of office of Henry B. Graves and James E. Brown, Trustees,

expire on the first day of September next.

On October 18, 1916, in accordance with our resolution of October 17, 1916, we executed and delivered to the Vestry of the Church of the Ascension, Rochester, a deed of the real estate of that Church.

On October 24, 1916, we received a deed of the property of St. Mathias Mission, East Rochester, and paid to apply on the purchase price thereof the money received from the sale of the Church property at Bergen.

Respectfully submitted,

A. P. ROSE, Secretary.

Treasurer's Report

| The several Funds in the hands of the Treasurer, May 1, 1916 | \$192,551.84 |
|---|-----------------------|
| The Funds have been increased during the year as follows: | |
| Trinity Church, Shortsville \$ 9.22 Church for Colored People 2.30 Church of the Epiphany 5,000.00 St. Marks, Penn Yan 1,160.00 St. Stephens, Rochester 4,500.00 Elizabeth Chapman to Mission Fund 200.00 | |
| \$10,871.52 | |
| Church Building Fund for Missions reduced by payment to Archdeacon Davis | 10,137.22 |
| | \$202,689.06 |
| STATEMENT OF FUNDS. | |
| De Lancey Divinity School | \$62,320.47 |
| Permanent Missionary | 38,639.34 |
| Stanley | 8,700.00 |
| Holcomb | 7,400.00 |
| Church for Colored People | 3,210.71 |
| Floyd Scholarship De Lancey Scholarship | 4,300.00 |
| St. Andrew's, Rochester | 4,314.00 16,000.00 |
| Swift Book | 900.00 |
| St. Peter's Coal | 1,000.00 |
| St. Peter's Rector | 5,895.00 |
| St. Luke's Branchport | 2,250.00 |
| Clerical Support | 1,550.00 |
| Centerfield Church | 1,000.00 |
| Mary Augusta Dox | 500.00 |
| Anne N. Dox | 250.00 |
| John Nicholas | 232.10 |
| Ruth Ver Planck | 80.00 |
| James B. Shepard | 2,400.00 |
| Sarah Antoinette Jones | 6,000.00 |
| St. Andrew's, Bradford | 4,300.00 |

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|---|------------|--------------|
| m: 4 0 1 0 | | F 100.00 |
| Trinity Church, Canaseraga | | 7,100.00 |
| Caroline Stacey for Deaf Mutes | | 500.00 |
| Rankine Memorial | | 6,000.00 |
| Weltha Eleanora Sayre | | 5,000.00 |
| Munson | | 500.00 |
| Julia McBride | | 1,000.00 |
| Church Building Fund for Missions | | 449.50 |
| Church of the Epiphany | | 5,000.00 |
| St. Mark's, Penn Yan | | 4,500.00 |
| St. Stephen, Rochester | | 4,500.00 |
| Trinity Church, Shortsville | | 237.94 |
| Finity Church, Shortsvine | | 201.01 |
| | | \$202,689.06 |
| Statement of the several Funds in account with | the Treasu | ner. |
| DE LANCEY DIVINITY SCHO | OL. | |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1916 | | \$ 984.32 |
| Income | | 3,252.25 |
| Salary of Warden | \$1,200.00 | |
| Orders Board of Education | 600.00 | |
| Draft for Lectures | 700.00 | |
| Treasurer's Commissions | 150.85 | |
| Insurance | 10.00 | |
| J. G. Foster | 1.50 | |
| Printing | 14.60 | |
| Stenographer for Secretary | 3.95 | |
| | | |
| Recording Fees and Accrued Interest | 6.37 | |
| Repairs, Steam, etc., Warden's House | 308.88 | |
| | \$2,996.15 | |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 | 1,240.42 | |
| - Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 | | |
| | \$4,236.57 | \$4,236.57 |
| PERMANENT MISSIONARY | FUND. | |
| Income, | | \$2,065.73 |
| Treasurer's Commissions | \$ 89.60 | Ψω,000,10 |
| A. C. Walker, Treasurer, Rochester | 983.07 | |
| W. H. D. Barr, Treasurer, Buffalo | 983.06 | |
| W. H. D. Dail, Treasurer, Dunate | | |
| | \$2,055.73 | |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 | 10.00 | |
| | | |
| | \$2,065.73 | \$2,065.73 |
| STANLEY FUND. | | |
| Income | | \$415.00 |
| A. McLoud, Treas | | |
| Treasurer's Commissions | 23.25 | |
| Recording | .20 | |
| Titoto and | | |

23.25.20 \$415.00

\$415.00

| HOLCOMB FUND. | |
|--|-----------------|
| Income Treasurer's Commissions \$15 D. McWilliams, Treasurer 321 | |
| \$336 | \$336.50 |
| ANNE N. DOX FUND. | |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1916 Income Mrs. Angus \$25 | 12.50 |
| \$25 | 5.00 \$25.00 |
| MARY AUGUSTA DOX FUND. | |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1916 Income Mrs. Angus \$50 | 25.00 |
| \$50 | \$50.00 |
| ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, BRANCHPORT | |
| | 77.00 |
| \$179 | 9.00 \$179.00 |
| MISSIONS TO DEAF MUTES. | |
| Income | \$25.00 |
| RUTH VER PLANCK FUND. | |
| Cash on hand May 1, 1916 | |
| Income Cash on hand May 1, 1917 \$14 | 2.40 |
| \$14 | \$14.70 |
| SARAH ANOTOINETTE JONES FUND |) . |
| Accrued Interest 1 F. J. Hart, Treasurer 305 \$322 | |
| Cash on hand May 1, 1917 | 5.21 |
| \$327 | 7.21 ' \$327.21 |

| ST. PETER'S RECTOR FUND. | |
|---|------------------|
| Income \$15.35 Treas. Com. \$15.35 Recording Papers .40 L. H. Barth, Treas 311.80 | \$327.55 |
| \$327.55 | \$327.55 |
| ST. PETER'S COAL FUND. | |
| Income L. H. Barth, Treas | \$50.00 |
| CLERICAL SUPPORT FUND. | |
| Cash on hand May 1, 1916 | \$245.01 |
| Income \$3.85 Treas. Commissions \$3.85 Cash on hand May 1, 1917 318.66 | 77.50 |
| *322.51 | \$322.51 |
| ST. ANDREW'S ROCHESTER FUND. | |
| Income | \$900.00 |
| JOHN NICHOLAS FUND. | |
| Cash on hand May 1, 1916 | \$45.0 0 |
| JAMES D. SHEPARD FUND. | |
| Cash on hand May 1, 1916 | \$378.69 |
| Income \$7.70 Treas. Commissions \$7.70 Cash on hand May 1, 1917 490.99 | 120.00 |
| \$498.69 | \$498.69 |
| JULIA A. McBRIDE FUND. | |
| Income | \$50.00 |
| RANKINE MEMORIAL FUND. | |
| Income 1. H. Barth, Treas. \$300.00 | \$300.00 |
| ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, BRADFORD. | |
| Income | \$215. 00 |

| CENTERFIELD CHURCH FUN | D. | |
|--|------------------------|--------------------|
| Income Cash on hand May 1, 1917 | | \$37.5 0 |
| CHURCH FOR COLORED PEOPLE IN | | h104.05 |
| Cash on hand May 1, 1916 | | \$184.65 146.00 |
| | \$330.65 | \$330.65 |
| SCHOLARSHIPS FUND. | | |
| Cash on hand May 1, 1916 | \$19.75 | \$58,90 348.03 |
| | \$ 406.93 | \$406.93 |
| MUNSON FUND. | | |
| Cash on hand May 1, 1916 | | \$85.00 25.00 |
| Cash on hand May 1, 1917 | \$110.00 | 20.00 |
| TRINITY CHURCH, SHORTSVILLE, | FUND. | |
| Cash on hand May 1, 1916 | | \$228.72 |
| Income Balance Genesee Valley Trust Co., May 1, 1917 | | 9.22 |
| | \$237.94 | \$237.94 |
| WELTHA ELEANORA SAYRE F | UND. | |
| Cash on hand May 1, 1916 | | \$37.50 312.50 |
| JOHN V | \$350.00 V. MELLEN, | \$350.00 |

Geneva, N. Y., May 1, 1917.

CERTIFICATE OF AUDITING COMMITTEE.

Treasurer.

The undersigned have examined the report of John W. Mellen as Treasurer of the Parochial Fund for the year ending April 30, 1917. We find that the securities held by the Treasurer correspond with his statement of the Funds and that he has proper vouchers for the disbursements of the past yar.

The Treasurer's commissions of five per cent of the income from

mortgages have been carried forward as a charge against next year's accounts. The amount is \$360.13 and is chargeable as follows:

| DeLancey Divinity School\$16 | 2.60 |
|------------------------------|------|
| Permanent Missionary 9 | 2.75 |
| Stanley 2 | 0.75 |
| | 6.72 |
| J. D. Shepard | 6.00 |
| Clerical Support | 3.87 |
| Church for Colored People | 7.30 |
| | 7.40 |
| St. Peter's Rector 1 | 6.37 |
| S. A. Jones | 6.36 |
| | |

\$360.13

Respectfully submitted,

L. W. KEYES, T. H. TRUSLOW.

Auditing Committee.

(G) Report of the Board of Religious Education

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Council:

Four meetings of the Board have been held during the past year,in November and December, 1916, and in January and April, 1917,with an average attendance of ten members.

The officers of the Board as elected are:

President-Mr. A. B. Houghton.

Vice-President-Mr. Harper Sibley.

Treasurer—Rev. Alfred Brittain.

Secretary—Rev. J. W. Denness Cooper.

Educational Secretary—Rev. J. W. Denness Cooper.

In accordance with the resuirements of the Canons constituting this Board, members were elected for terms of years as follows:

For one year-Rev. Messrs. Brittain and Ferris and Messrs. Houghton and Mellen.

For two years-Rev. Messrs. Cooper and Sherwood and Messrs. Sibley and Boynton.

For three years-Rev. Messrs, Gaviller and Hart and Messrs. Kates and Dr. Squire.

During the year, repairs were authorized on the Warden's house at a cost of \$169.64.

The Rev. G. H. Gaviller presented a set of 56 volumes of the "Parker Society Library" to the DeLancey Divinity School,

It was officially arranged to take care of the Pension Premium of

the Warden of the DeLancey Divinity School.
According to the report of the Warden, two students have been graduated from the school during the past year, and later were advanced to the Diaconate. There are at present ten students in regular attendance upon the lectures of the School.

Your Board would most heartily commend to the members of the Council the suggestion contained in the annual report of the Warden to this Board, viz., that the Parochial Clergy and also Chapters of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew "Lookout Men" whom we might help prepare for the Sacred Ministry, but yho are so circumstanced as to be precluded from becoming resident students in the larger Seminaries.

In the field of Sunday School work in the Diocese of yhich your Board is intrusted with the oversight, we believe the year has been one of progress, and claim without egotism, that this has been achieved in a larger measure than ever before, through the efforts of your Board.

Through the activities of the Enducational Secretary we have been in touch with individual schools and on every hand see a marked improvement. Through District Conferences, groups of workers have been stimulated and through visitations, much practical help has been given. In this connection your Board would call attention to the fact that according to the original agreement, the Educational Secretary was engaged through a Committee of the Board for a term of three years, the understanding being that at the end of that period the Council would, if it thought wise, assume whole or part of the pecuniary liability involved in this office. Your Board would therefore recommend that some action be taken in this matter before the adjournment of this Council.

The Board has prepared and is at the present time printing a booklet entitled "A STANDARD OF EFFICIENCY." This will be in the hands of the Clergy and Superintendents of Schools within a few days. We would urge those receiving it to give it a most careful study and as far as possible endeavor to attain the standard there set forth. The members of the Board will give every help possible to individual schools to make this attainment possible.

We would commend the Summer Conference for Church Workers held in Hobart College, Geneva, N. Y., under the direction of the Board of Religious Education of the Second Province. The dates for this Conference for the year 1917 are July 2nd to 13th.

In accordance with suggestions made by the Educational Secretary, in his Annual Report to this Board, we would respectfully recommend

- 1. That every clergyman of the Diocese endeavor to make provision for the systematic training of teachers.
- 2. That in every Parish and Mission of the Diocese "Education Week" be observed, beginning yith the 3rd Sunday in October.
- 3. That the possibility of Sunday School extension in unoccupied territory be seriously considered by the Diocese as a whole and by individual Rectors of Parishes.

Report of Educational Secretary

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Council:

As your Secretary said last year, in presenting his report he does so with a feeling of dissatisfaction, for it is impossible to tabulate results of work done or to convey an adequate idea of the scope of the fields which he covers. There are so many sides to his activities, and the influence of his office extends in so many directions, and is so insidious that mere figures bear but little relation. He can only say, that as far as possible he is always on the alert to use the influence of his position in every way to stimulate interest in and increase the efficiency of our schools as yell as to inculcate a more comprehensive idea of Religious Education in general.

In the Diocesan Journal of 1916, there are reported 164 Parishes, Missions, Chapels and Stations. Out of this number there are about 125 schools. Your Secretary has upon solicitation visited, or by correspondence, advised about 71 of these. The nature of this advice has had to do with practically every side of Sunday School work. In some cases it has resulted in complete re-organization, in others it has meant suggestions for Curriculum, Lesson Courses, Teacher Training, Bible Classes, Parental Co-operation, Missionary Methods, Finance, Week-day Work—in fact it would be difficult to find a school subject on which his advice has not been sought, and without any thought of egotism, he can say that wherever this advice has been given a marked improvement has been acknowledged.

During the year there have been sent out from his office 2,442 pieces of mail, while much of this has been in circular form, a great deal of it has been personal communications for specifice school needs, and the circle of his correspondents is widening day by day.

Since his last report he has organized five District Conferences. In the Autumn, he assisted the officers of the Buffalo District in organizing the Buffalo School of Religion for its winter work. He also assisted in promoting a Conference in Buffalo held by Miss Withers of the General Board Council. He has on many occasions preached sermons and given addresses on behalf of Religious Education. His aid has been sought in the york of the New York State Sunday School Association and on behalf of the field work of our Lutheran Brethren. He has also been asked to speak in other dioceses than our own.

In addition to his distinctively Diocesan work, his help has been sought by other Diocesan Boards.

Through the generosity of a layman of this Diocese, he had the privilege of attending the Religious Educational Conferences of the General Convention.

He has represented Western New York on the Provincial Commission on Religious Education, of which body he has been made Recording Secretary. He also has been elected a member of the Governing Board of the Geneva Summer Conference of this Province.

As to conditions within the Diocese, your Secretary still finds that some of the clergy do not appreciate that many of their school difficulties or lack of interest might be overcome by soliciting his aid. He feels that the suggestion of the Board of a re-grouping of the Diocese into smaller units is a wise one, and will lead to the establishment of a more intimate relationship between himself, his clerical brethren and the faculty of the schools.

Many of the smaller schools find it impossible to adopt more modern methods on account of lack of financial support. It would be a tremendous boon to such parishes and missions if a central fund could be created from which grants might be made for supplies.

Your Secretary is planning during the coming year to seek Conferences with Vestries of parishes with the idea of creating a sense of Parochial responsibility in the matters of religious nurture.

He would suggest that to the Council:

- 1. That every clergpman of the Diocese endeavor to make provision for the systematic training of teachers.
- 2. That in every Parish and Mission of the Diocese, "Education Week" be observed, beginning with the 3rd Sunday in October.
- 3. That the possibility of Sunday School extension in unoccupied territory be seriously considered by the Diocese as a whole and by individual rectors and parishes.

Your Secretary would close his report by saying that one of the encouraging features is that wherever he has been called in, a distinct improvement of conditions has been shown, and he can only hope, and has every reason to expect, that his services yill be more widely sought.

Respectfully submitted,

J. W. DENNESS COOPER, Educational Secretary.

Report of the Treasurer of the Board of Religious Instruction

APRIL 26, 1917.

| Balance from last year | \$377.58 |
|---|----------|
| The following were received too late to get in the 1916 report: | |
| St. Thomas', Rochester | 4.12 |
| St. Ambrose's, Niagara Falls | .84 |
| St. John's, Mt. Morris and Holy Apostle, Perry | 1.26 |
| St. Mathias', East Aurora | .84 |
| St. John's, Sodus | 1.92 |
| Good Shepherd, Buffalo | 5.84 |
| All Saints', Lockport | 1.16 |
| St. Alban's, Silver Creek | 1.14 |
| | |
| St. Luke's, Brockport | 1.42 |
| St. Luke's, Buffalo | 2.08 |
| Ascension, Rochester | 2.88 |
| St. Luke's, Rochester | 4.04 |
| St.Paul's, Mayville | .72 |
| Good Shepherd, Buffalo | 5.98 |
| DeVeaux College, Niagara Falls | .74 |
| St. Paul's, Rochester | 8.32 |
| Trinity, Buffalo | 4.64 |
| St. Philip's, Buffalo | 1.48 |
| St. Andrew's, Caledonia | .38 |
| St. Michael's, Oakfield | .90 |

| Doard of Religious Instruction | 100 |
|--|----------|
| | 0.0 |
| Grace Church, Scottsville | .88 |
| Trinity, Lancaster | 2.20 |
| St. Paul's, Darien Center | .08 |
| St. Peter's, Wastfield | ,22 |
| St. James,', Rochester | 2.74 |
| St. Jude's, Buffalo | 6.00 |
| St. Paul's, Buffalo | 5.64 |
| St. James', Batavia | 4.58 |
| St. John's, Phelps | .25 |
| St. Stephen's, Olean | 4.72 |
| St.Mark's, Buffalo | .84 |
| St. Mark's Chapel, Buffalo | 1,54 |
| DISBURSEMENTS. Secretary's Expenses | 5.48 |
| | 1.22 |
| | 2.40 |
| out of canalitainage | 2.10 |
| | \$467.07 |
| St.Thomas', Bath | 2.48 |
| Christ Church, Hornell | 3.18 |
| St. John's Youngstown | .60 |
| Trinity, Geneva | 3.72 |
| | \$477.05 |
| DISBURSEMENTS. | |
| Sacretary to Typengae | |
| The Livingston Donublic 15.00 | |
| Der I W D Gener Conference and Training School | |
| Rev. J. W. D. Cooper, Conference and Training School | |
| Expenses | |
| | |
| | |
| Rev. D. L. Ferris, Traveling Expenses 3.00 | |
| Rev. G. F. J. Sherwood, Traveling Expenses 275 | |
| Rev. Alfred Brittain, Traveling Expenses 1.70 | |
| | |
| | |
| Clerical Work on Receipts and Reports 2.50 | |
| *94.54 | \$94.54 |
| Balance on hand | \$382.51 |
| Dalance on name | 中の02.31 |

ALFRED BRITTAIN, Treasurer.

(H) Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund

BONDS AND MORTGAGES ON REAL ESTATE.

APRIL 30, 1917.

| 111 1111 00, 101 | • • | | | | |
|--|-------------|------------|-------------|--|--|
| | Principal | Interest | Interest | | |
| | | % | Date | | |
| A Hubright (P Delegs purchaser) | \$2,950,00 | | Apr. 1 | | |
| A. Hubright (P. DeLass, purchaser) Peter Forsay and wife (P. DeLass, pur- | φ=,υου.ου | | 11p1 | | |
| chasen) | 950.00 | | A mm T | | |
| chaser) | 850.00 | 5 | Apr. 1 | | |
| Robert Johnston and wife (Irene J. Fisher, | | _ | | | |
| purchaser) | 2,300.00 | 5 | Feb. 15 | | |
| E. P. Coulter | 2,450.00 | 5 | Apr. 1 | | |
| Jacob S. Crane (N. H. Garlock, purchaser). | 3,000.00 | 5 | Apr. 1 | | |
| Geo. Wilbur and wife (Dennis B. Dwyer, | Í | | - | | |
| purchased) | 2,000.00 | 5 | Jan. 1 | | |
| Mary E. Brockway (Dennis B. Dwyer, pur- | _, | | | | |
| chaser) | 500.00 | 5 | Jan. 1 | | |
| | | | | | |
| John Gates | 500.00 | 5 | Apr. 1 | | |
| Rector, Wardens, etc., of St. Peter's Church | 2,000.00 | 5 | Apr. 1 | | |
| Jas. East and wife | 2,800.00 | 5 | Apr. 1 | | |
| Jas. East and wife | 1,600.00 | 5 | Apr. 1 | | |
| Reef C. Doser | 1,000.00 | 5 | Apr. 1 | | |
| | | | - | | |
| | \$21,950.00 | | | | |
| | . , | m of Abo T | i | | |
| To the Right Reverend William David Wal | | | Jiocese oi | | |
| Western New York, and to the Counci | | | | | |
| The Trustees and Treasurer of the Christmas Fund of the Protestant | | | | | |
| Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York do make the fol- | | | | | |
| lowing report of the transactions of the said fund from May 1, 1916, to | | | | | |
| April 30, 1917, inclusive: | | | | | |
| The Christmas Fund at April 30, 1917, separated into Principal and | | | | | |
| Surplus of Unexpended Income in accordance | | | | | |
| | with aud | it 110m Ma | y 6, 1900, | | |
| to April 30, 1916, is as follows: | | | ABB #00 00 | | |
| Principal | | | \$33,529.68 | | |
| Surplus of Unexpended Income at April 30, | 1916 🛊 | L,367.04 | | | |
| Excess of Income over Expenditures for the | e year | 743.48 | | | |
| | | | 2,110.52 | | |
| | | '- | | | |
| | | | \$35,640.20 | | |
| Represented by the following items- | | | , | | |
| Investments: | | | | | |
| | Lodon achod | ulo an | | | |
| Bonds and mortgages on Real Estate (as | | | *01 050 00 | | |
| pended)—Average Interest—5.134% | | | \$21,950.00 | | |
| New York City 6% Bonds | | | 2,000.00 | | |
| Deposits in Banks at 4% Interest: | | | | | |
| Lincoln National Bank | \$ | 72.32 | | | |
| Union Trust Co | 1 | ,069.88 | | | |
| Rochester Trust & Safe Deposit Co | | ,021.11 | | | |
| Security Trust Co | | 1,312.20 | | | |
| Monroe County Savings Bank | | 982.46 | | | |
| monto county pavings pank | | 902.XU | | | |

| Mechanics Savings Bank | 2,703.12 | |
|---|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| | | \$ 7,161.09 |
| Cash in Lincoln National Bank (checking account) Cash on hand (offering check dated April 30, 1917—received too late to deposit) Rector, etc., St. Peter's Church, interest due April | \$4,421.51 7.60 100.00 | \$31,111.09 |
| 1, 1917, unpaid to date | 100.00 | \$ 4,529.11 |
| Amount of Fund reported at April 30, 1916: | \$33,649.31 1,027.91 219.50 | \$35,640.20 \$34,892.76 |
| Increase for the year in unexpended Income as above Transactions in investments during the year we CASH RECEIVED. Sept. 2, 1916—New York City Bond redeemed Mar. 31, 1917—H. J. Coulter, payment on mortgage April 2, 1917—T. E. Reynolds (Kittie M. Wells) mortgage paid | | \$ 743.48 ws: |
| morvgago | | \$4,300.00 |
| Oct. 1, 1916—Union Trust Co., deposit at interest April 3, 1917—Loan on mortgage to Reef C. Doser Dec. 31, 1916—Interest on Bank Deposits, added thereto | 500.00 1,000.00 261.78 | 1,761.78 |
| Investments April 30, 1917. | 31,111.09 | |
| Decrease on account of large receipts near close of shown Income during the year was as follows: Officings received from 76 Parishes and Missions. Interest on Investments: | | 2,538.22 \$ 1,828.93 |
| Received in cash Interest credited by Banks and added to deposits Interest due April 1, 1916, from Rector, etc., of St. Peter's Church on mortgage, un- | \$1,325.58 261.78 | |
| paid at date | | 1,687.36 |
| Total | | \$ 3,516.29 |
| Expenditures during the year were as follows: Annuities paid to 12 annuitants, widows of deceased Paid for funeral expense of deceased elergyman | clergymen | \$ 2,300.00 50.00 |

| Expenses: | | | |
|--|-------------|------|----------|
| Charles McLouth—on meetings of trustees | \$ 3.75 | | |
| Postage | 2.06 | | |
| Palmyra Printing Co., printing reports, etc | 19.50 | | |
| Fish, Lyman & Goodwin, printing, etc., letters | 7.00 | | |
| W. Salvin Taylor & Co., auditing and prepar- | | | |
| ing report for year ended April 30, 1916 | 61.60 | | |
| W. Salvin Taylor &Co., audit for ten years | 02.00 | | |
| from May 8, 1906, to April 30, 1917 | 307.75 | | |
| F. D. Guile, looking up Hubright mortgage. | 5.00 | | |
| John R. Bourne, seal and rubber stamp | 2.65 | | |
| John C. Moore Corporation, security record | 2.00 | | |
| book | 3.50 | | |
| Rochester Trust & Safe Deposit Co., rent safe | 0.00 | | |
| 1 11 1 35 1 5 1010 1 | 10.00 | | |
| acposit for to marrie a, actor, | 10.00 | \$ | 422.81 |
| | | | |
| | | \$ | 2,772.81 |
| Excess of Income over Expenditures during year | | \$ | 743.48 |
| The interest yield on investments as they stood at | | | |
| 1916, was at the rate of 4.994% on \$33,649.31, or | r | \$ | 1,680.44 |
| Additional Interest was received due to changes | in invest- | | , |
| ments and interest dates, of | | | 6.22 |
| Making total as shown above | | 4 | 1,687.36 |
| The annual interest yield on the investments | | | |
| 30, 1917, is at the rate of 4.938%. | as they sto | ou e | ec zipin |
| 50, 1517, 15 at the 14th of 1.505 /c. | | | |

Accrued interest not due is not considered in this report.

There is reuired to be elected one trustee, in th place of Hon, Charles

McLouth, deceased.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM B. FARNHAM, President. EUGENE C. DENTON, Treasurer. Trustees.

May 1, 1917.

CERTIFICATE OF AUDITORS.

We have examined the books and accounts of the Treasurer of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Western New York for the period from May 1, 1916, to April 30, 1917, inclusive, and the statements in the foregoing report have been correctly prepared from the books and data furnished.

We have examined all entries for the period mentioned, and have seen

vouchers for the disbursements during the period.

The amounts shown as balances in banks are in accordance with the certificates furnished by officers of the respective banks and trust companies.

We have examined the securities in the hands of the Treasurer and

found them to be as stated in the report.

W. SALVIN TAYLOR & CO, Public Accountants and Auditors, 302 Central Building, Rochester, N. Y.

May 3, 1917.

(I) Report of De Veaux College

Report of the Trustees of DeVeaux College for Orphan and Destitute Children

Niagara Falls, N. Y., January 1, 1917.

To the Bishop and to the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Western New York,

The Trustees of DeVeaux College for Orphan and Destitute Children respectfully submit herewith their report for the year ending December 31, 1916, in compliance with the terms of the charter of the corporation.

During the year the Trustees held eight meetings, with the following

record of attendance:

Rt. Rev. Wm. D. Walker, D.D., President
Gen. H. C. Hodges, Vice-President
Rev. P. W. Mosher, Secretary
John K. Walker
Porter Norton
Rev. Pierre Cushing
Rev. Edward P. Hart
Rev. E. J. Babcock, Treasurer

present 5, absent 3
present 2, absent 6
present 4, absent 1
present 4, absent 4
present 3, absent 5
present 4, absent 5

The main items of this report are two: (1) the school; (2) the books of account.

1. In the school boys only are taken.

During the year 1916 there were received on the foundation 30 boys. The average number maintained during the year was twenty-four, the greatest number in attendance at any one time was twenty-four and the least number was twenty-four. The age of the youngest boy on the foundation was 12 years; that of the oldest, 19 years.

During the year the total number of pay pupils received was thirty-seven, of whom seventeen were day pupils. The greatest number in attendance at any one time was thirty-three and the least number twenty-two.

The course of study is that published in the Register and is based on the Elementary and the Academic Syllabus of the New York State Education Department.

2. In the matter of accounts the annexed schedules show: (a) the balance sheet; (b) Interest Bearing Endowment with a list of loans paid and made during the year, Land Contracts and the amounts of special endowment funds with the investments of the same; (c) Income Cash Account, Receipts and Disbursements; (d) a list of bonds and mortgages of the General Fund; (f) Guarantee Fund; (g) Charles Kennedy Scholarship; (h) Land Contracts; (i) list of real estate owned by the corporation

We would call attention to the fact that during the year there has been a net gain of \$682.82 in the operation of the school.

Respectfully submitted,
PHILIP WHEELER MOSHER, Secretary.

SCHEDULE "A."

BALANCE SHEET ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1916.

RESOURCES.

| Fixed Endowment | \$166,325.80 |
|--|--------------|
| Interest Bearing Endowment | \$256,247.03 |
| General Fund, Bonds and Mortgages\$231,845.00 | ,, |
| Land Contracts | |
| Uninvested Funds | |
| Strickland Fund | |
| Reed Military Medal Fund | |
| Charles Kennedy Scholarship Fund 7,500.00 | |
| Guaranteed Fund, O. B. A. of De. V. C 3,565.00 | |
| Income Account | \$ 3,509.80 |
| Head Master's Cash 200.00 | · · |
| Cash on Hand 593.70 | |
| Deficit 2,716.10 | |
| | \$426,082.63 |

LIABILITIES.

| Endowment | • | .\$422,572.83 |
|--------------|---|--------------------------|
| Notes Payabl | e | . 3,509.80 \$426,0\$2.63 |

SCHEDULE "B."

INTEREST BEARING ENDOWMENT. BONDS AND MORTGAGES.

| -19 | 0 | -1 | 0 |
|-----|---|----|---|
| | 4 | | |

| Jan. | 1. | Amo | unt of bonds and Mortgages | | \$226,871.5 |
|------|-----|------|---------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| | | | LOANS PAID DURING THE YEA | AR. | |
| | | No. | | | |
| Jan. | 1. | 751 | Augustus Thibaudau\$ | 1,000.00 | |
| Jan. | 3. | | Thomas Hoey | | |
| Jan. | | | Robert S. Hambleton | 800.00 | |
| Jan. | 26, | 581, | 597, 599, 608, 625, Margaret M. | | |
| | | | Bampfield | 3,500.00 | |
| Mar. | 1 | 781 | Winifred B. Williams | 500.00 | |
| Apr. | 1. | 804 | Jacob Kroft | 35.00 | |
| | | | | | |

| | | | Bampfield | 3,500.00 |
|------|-----|------|----------------------------|----------|
| Mar. | 1 | 781 | Winifred B. Williams | 500.00 |
| Apr. | 1. | 804 | Jacob Kroft | 35.00 |
| Apr. | 4. | 781 | Winifred B. Williams | 500.00 |
| May | 5. | 585, | 659, 759, Kittie M. Paxson | 1,010.00 |
| May | 19. | 804 | Jacob Kroft | 30.00 |
| May | 29. | 769 | Bridget Burns | 200.00 |
| June | 1. | 779 | Mabel I. Schepeler | 100.00 |
| June | 1. | 750 | Florence B. Smart | 250.00 |
| June | 2. | 746 | Purley B. Whistler | 150.00 |
| June | 23. | 685 | Maria Durkin | 500.00 |
| July | 13. | 716 | Winifred B. Williams | 500.00 |

| July Aug. Aug. Sept. Nov. Dec. Dec. Dec. Dec. Dec. Dec. | 31, 10, 30, 19, 25, 29, 1, 1, 1, 2, | 798 James McLeod 450,00 804 Jacob Kroft 1.50 715 Carmine Crocano 150,00 663 John H. Ellenbaum 4,000,00 769 Bridget Burns 300,00 780 Jacob Brunswick 100,00 610 Wm. G. Binkley 400,00 716 Winifred B. Williams 500,00 784 Bertha Brandt 50,00 750 Florence B. Smart 200,00 746 Purley B. Whistler 300,00 | 15,626.50 |
|--|---|--|--------------|
| | | | \$211,245.00 |
| | | LOANS MADE DURING YEAR. | |
| Jan. Mar. Apr. May July Aug. Dec. Dec. | 6. 22. 4. 14. 3. 5. 5. 14. 21. | James P. Mumford \$ 300.00 Thomas J. Buyers 1,150.00 Jane E. Adams 500.00 John F. McDonald 7,000.00 Daniel J. Mahoney / 2,000.00 Bernice Rozan 4,000.00 Lotta Dabrowski 2,150.00 Peter Foster 1,500.00 | 20,600.00 |
| Dec. | 31. | Total Bonds and Mortgages | \$231,845.00 |
| | | LAND CONTRACTS. | |
| 191 Jan. | 6. | Contracts in force Payments on Contracts During Year: No. | \$ 2,310.00 |
| Feb. Mar. Mar. Apr. May May June July Yug. Sept. Oct. Oct. Dec. Dec. | 15. 11. 28. 7. 19. 29. 23. 27. 11. 12. 6 11. | 767 Harry S. Miner. 20.00 767 Harry S. Miner. 10.00 766 Greater Niagara Realty Co. 20.00 767 Harry S. Miner. 18.85 767 Harry S. Miner. 10.00 766 Greater Niagara Realty Co. 40.00 767 Harry S. Miner. 10.00 813 Harry S. Miner. 10.00 813 Harry S. Miner. 10.00 812 Greater Niagara Realty Co. 40.00 813 Harry S. Miner. 10.00 813 Harry S. Miner. 10.00 813 Harry S. Miner. 20.00 | 238.85 |
| Dec. | 31. | Total Land Contracts | \$ 2,071.15 |
| | | STRICKLAND FUND. | |
| 191 | 6. | Uninvested Funds \$ 50.40 | |
| Jan. | 1. | Amount of Bonds and Mortgages 7,800.00 | 7,850.40 |

| | LOANS PAID DURING YEAR. | |
|--|--|----------------------------|
| June 1. June 23. | 774 Fred J. Allen\$1,600.00 642 Maria Durkin 2,500.00 4,100.00 | |
| Dec. 31. | Bonds and Mortgages | \$ 3,750.00 |
| 1916. Dec. 31. | Uninvested Funds 4,150.40 | |
| | Total Strickland Fund | \$ 7,850.40 |
| 1916. Dec. 31. 1916. | Bonds and Mortgages | 7,500.00 |
| | O. B. A. OF DE. V. C. GUARANTEE FUND. | |
| Dec. 31. Dec. 31. | Bonds and Mortgages | |
| Dec. 31. | Total Guarantee Fund Reed Military Fund Uninvested | 3,565.00 160.00 |
| | GENERAL CASH FUND. | 4.7 |
| 1916. Jan. 1. Dec. 31. Dec. 31. | Cash on Hand | |
| 70 04 | \$23,855.48 | |
| Dec. 31. Dec. 31. | Loans made on above | 3,255.48 |
| Dec. 31. | Total Interest Bearing Endowment Fixed Endowment | \$256,247.03 166,325.80 |
| | Total Endowment | \$422,572.83 |
| | SCHEDULE "C." | |
| | INCOME CASH ACCOUNT. | |
| | RECEIPTS. | |
| 1916. Jan. 1. Dec. 31. | Balance on Hand 10.36 State Education Department \$ 10.36 Donations 19.72 Sales from Domain/ 31.59 C. B. A. of D. V. C 150.00 Repayment of Taxes. 10.62 Sale of School Supplies: 2,662.79 Foundationers 1,167.64 Payments from Pupils 8,222.59 Rent 1,284.47 | \$ 11.08 |

| Interest / | 14,934.62 | | 28,540.40 |
|---|--|----|--|
| Notes Payable | 1,759.80 | \$ | 28,551.48 |
| | | \$ | 30,311.28 |
| DISBURSEMENTS. | | | |
| MAINTENANCE OF TRUST. | | | |
| Repairs \$ Insurance Taxes Appraisals Salaries Office and Expenses Trustees Expenses Incidental Expenses | 518.87 25.00 317.52 6.00 600.00 127.63 9.30 11.25 | \$ | 1,615.51 |
| MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL AND F | UPILS. | | |
| Improvements and Betterments. \$ Repairs and Insurance. Library and Apparatus. Furniture and Fixtures Salaries and Wages. Food Heat and Light Office and General. School Supplies School Clothing | 176.81 1,967.21 118.07 114.30 8,058.76 6,004.39 1,874.14 293.72 2,105.55 1,063.52 | | |
| Incidentals Interest | 1,136.43 113.13 | * | 22,849.22 |
| DISBURSEMENTS FOR FOUNDATION | ONERS. | · | , |
| Clothing | 852.87 121.11 620.79 299.40 | | 1,894.17 1,321.81 |
| Notes Payable | | | 1,860.00 |
| Total Disbursements December 31, Cash on Hand. | | \$ | 29,717.58 593.70 |
| | | \$ | 30,311.28 |
| STATEMENT. | | | |
| January 1st, 1917: Past Due Interest Accrued Interest Accrued Rents Accounts Receivable Pupils' Supplies Inventory. | | | $510.00 \\ 2,318.88 \\ 224.00 \\ 759.69 \\ 959.58$ |

| RECONCILIATION OF BANK BALANCE. January 2, Balance in Bank as per statement | \$ 955.84 |
|--|--------------|
| Outstanding Vouchers: Voucher No. 1866 | 362.14 |
| Cash Balance, Schedule "C" | \$ 593.70 |

BANK CERTIFICATES.

Buffalo, N. Y., January 3, 1917.

THE FIDELITY TRUST COMPANY OF PUFFALO hereby certifies that there was on deposit to the credit of De Veaux College at close of business on the date hereof, the sum of \$3,255.48, Thirty-two hundred fifty-five 48/100 Dollars.

WALTER L. CURTISS, Assistant Secretary.

Buffalo, N. Y., January 3, 1917.

THE FIDELITY TRUST COMPANY OF BUFFALO hereby certifies that there was on deposit to the credit of De Veaux College Military Medal Fund at close of business on the date hereof, the sum of \$160.00, One hundred and sixty dollars.

WALTER L. CURTISS, Assistant Secretary.

Buffalo, N. Y., January 3, 1917.

THE FIDELITY TRUST COMPANY OF BUFFALO hereby certifies that there was on deposit to the credit of De Veaux College Strickland Fund at close of business on the date hereof, the sum of \$4,150.40, Fortyone hundred fifty and 40/100 Dollars.

WALTER L. CURTISS, Assistant Secretary.

CERTIFICATE OF BALANCE

Niagara Falls, N. Y., February 14th, 1917.

We hereby certify that the balance in the Niagara Falls Trust Company, to the credit of De Veaux College, Guaranty Fund, at close of business December 30th, 1916, was two hundred sixty-five dollars (\$265).

NIAGARA FALLS TRUST COMPANY, By Felix M. Woolworth, Secretary.

CERTIFICATE OF BALANCE.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., February 14th, 1917.

We hereby certify that the balance in the Niagara Falls Trust Company, to the credit of De Veaux College, regular account, at close of business January 2nd, 1917, was nine hundred fifty-five dollars eighty-four cents (\$955.84).

NIAGARA FALLS TRUST COMPANY, By H. M. Clark, Assist. Secretary.

| SCHEDULE "D." | | | |
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| BONDS AND MORTGAGES, DECEMBER 31, 1916. | | | |
| Numb | er | Amount | |
| 495 | CHARLES E. MABON\$ Farm, Town of Lewiston, N. Y. Insurance, \$4,710. | 1,500.00 | |
| 575 | ANNA M. HARTLot, Lockport, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,300, | 400.00 | |
| 590 | MAJOR S. LANGS | 3,000.00 | |
| 596 | THOMAS ANDREWSLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$2,500. | 2,500.00 | |
| 598 | ELIZABETH MILLER Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,500. | 300,00 | |
| 610 | WALTER G. BINKLEYLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,200. | | |
| 611 | M. E. COOLEYLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$2.600. | 600,00 | |
| 614 | MARY LANDRETH Farm, Town of Niagara, N. Y. | 1,500.00 | |
| 616 | AUGUST REICKHOFFLot, Niagara Falls. Insurance, \$5,100. | 1,100.00 | |
| 627 | FRANK BUDDE Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,500. | 200.00 | |
| 633 | M. S. & J. P. LANGS | 1,800.00 | |
| 635 | FRANK A. DUDLEY 3 lots, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$6,900. | 2,800.00 | |
| 636 | PATRICK J. MALONEYLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,200. | 755.00 | |
| 638 | JENNIE REISIG Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$2,000. | 600.00 | |
| 639 | SAME AS NO. 614 ABOVE | 2,500.00 | |
| 641 | NANCY J. ZIMMERMANLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,300. | 250.00 | |
| 643 | NANCY J. ZIMMERMAN | 125.00 | |
| 644 646 | SAME AS 638 ABOVE MARIA MURPHY Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$3,500. | 200.00 3,500.00 | |
| 647 | ANN KILLIAN Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,400. | 1,450.00 | |
| 649 | EUGENE CARY 11 vacant lots near "Echota," Niagara Falls, N.Y. | 3,500.00 | |
| 650 | ELIZABETH M. LYNCH | 3,500.00 | |
| 652 | EMMA SPEICHER | 5,000.00 | |
| 655 | THOMAS GORMAN Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,500. | 1,500.00 | |

| 656 | EDWIN D. JOHNSON A lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$3,000. | 1,800.00 |
|------|--|----------|
| 657 | SAME AS LOT 656 ABOVE | 900.00 |
| 662 | ANNA E. BUTTERYFarm, Town of Lewiston, N. Y. Insurance, \$500. A lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$6.000. | 1,350.00 |
| 669 | ELBERT H. HENNINGLot Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$2,000. | 1,700.00 |
| 671 | MARY J. READ | 425.00 |
| 672 | MRS. GEORGE G. SHEPARD 2 lots, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$2,800. | 2,500.00 |
| 673 | MRS. WALTER P. HORNE | 3,000.00 |
| 676 | CATHERINE O. MUMFORDLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$2,000. | 2,000.00 |
| 679 | SAME AS NO. 627 ABOVE | 300.00 |
| 686 | ELIZABETH A. LENT 2 lots, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,900. | 800.00 |
| 689 | MARY B. WITMERFarm, Town of Lewiston, N. Y. | 1,800.00 |
| 691 | SAME AS NO. 655 ABOVE | 200.00 |
| 695 | EDWARD J. PENDERGASTLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,000. | 350.00 |
| 696 | THOMAS G. STODDARD | 1,800.00 |
| 698 | ALICE H. O'LEARYLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$2,700. | 2,000.00 |
| 699 | FRANK PROZACZYNSKI 2 lots, Buffalo, N. Y. Insurance, \$3,000. | 3,000.00 |
| 704 | NETTIE M. WRIGHTLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,500. | 2,000.00 |
| 705. | MARGAREY HANNAN 2 lots, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,700. | 1,400.00 |
| 707 | CAROLINE S. HARVEYLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$3,000. | 2,500.00 |
| 708 | DELANCEY RANKINE, TRUSTEELot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$3,000. | 1,500.00 |
| 710 | CHRISTIAN E. SCHUMACHERLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$2,000. | 2,000.00 |
| 714 | RACHEL M. CLARKLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$4,200. | 3,500.00 |
| 715 | CARMINE CROCANO 2 lots, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$3,400. | 1,400.00 |
| 716 | WINIFRED B. WILLIAMSLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$10,000. | 6,500.00 |
| 720 | RICHARD RUSSELL 2 lots, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$2,750. | 3,000.00 |
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| 727 | JOHN P. LANGS | 1,000.00 |
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| 728 | WILLIAM N. CANDEE. Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$4,000. | 2,500.00 |
| 731 | SAME AS NO. 686 ABOVE | 600.00 |
| 735 | MARGARET E. BENHAMLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$4,000. | 4,000.00 |
| 736 | W. J. MACKAY Farm, Town of Niagara, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,900. | 3,000.00 |
| 737 | LETITIA HILLIARD 2 lots, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$5,000. | 1,800.00 |
| 739 | PETER FOSTER | 2,600.00 |
| 740 | DENIS GREENE Lot Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,000. | 600.00 |
| 741 | MARGARET T. CREEDON | 600.00 |
| 743 | THOMAS HOEY Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,500. | 800.00 |
| 744 | MARY AANAVAN Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$2,400. | 2,500.00 |
| 745 | GEORGE N. MALOUF Lot Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$5,500. 6 vacant lots, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 4,500.00 |
| 746 | PURLEY B. WHISTLERLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,200. | 125.00 |
| 748 | IDA L. MABON Same as No. 495 above. | 1,050.00 |
| 749 | MRS. REUBEN A. TAYLORLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$2,000. | 2,500.00 |
| 750 | FLORENCE B. SMART | 2,150.00 |
| 751 | AUGUSTUS THIBAUDEAU | 13,000.00 |
| 752 | MAHALA C. McCULLOHLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$3,500. | 3,500.00 |
| 755 | NELLIE T. O'DONNELL | 1,000.00 |
| 756 | SAME AS NO. 686 ABOVE | 600.00 |
| 763 | CATHERINE HAUGHAN | 3,500.00 |
| 764 | SAME AS ABOVE NO. 616 | 2,300.00 |
| 768 | ESTATE MARIA M. HAGARLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$4,200. | 1,500.00 |
| 769 | BRIDGET BURNS Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$4,000. | 2,000.00 |
| 771 | ALEXANDER P. ARCHERLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$4,000. | 3,000.00 |

| 773 | NORMA E. HOYOSLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$6,000. | 4,000.00 |
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| 775 | BESSIE W. FINLAY | 5,000.00 |
| 776 | ALICE GOBEILLELot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$3,000. | 2,500.00 |
| 777 | JOHN J. HANRAHANLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$15,000. | 12,000,00 |
| 778 | JOSEPH CRITELLI | 1,200.00 |
| 779 | MABEL I. SCHEPELER | 970.00 |
| 780 | JACOB BRUNSWICK | 600.00 |
| 782 | EUGENE GOW | 1,050.00 |
| 783 | GUSTAF THORSTEDT Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$3,000. | 2,125.00 |
| 784 | BERTHA M. BRANDT Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$3,000. | 700.00 |
| 785 | MARCUS M. BEEMAN | 5,000.00 |
| 786 | SAME AS NO. 775 ABOVE | 500,00 |
| 788 | SAME AS NO. 741 ABOVE | 400,00 |
| 789 | WILLIAM W. HOUSTON | |
| | Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$2,200. | 3,800.00 |
| 790 | ROBERT S. HAMBLETONLot, Buffalo, N. Y. Insurance, \$3,000. | 1,000.00 |
| 791 | DANIEL REICKHOFF Same as No. 616 above. | 1,000.00 |
| 792 | WILLIAM SPILLANELot, Niagara Falls. Insurance, \$3,000. | 3,000.00 |
| 793 | GUY S. SWALLWELLLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,500. | 1,200.00 |
| 794 | JESSE A. LODGELot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$5,000. | 1,500.00 |
| 798 | JAMES McLEOD 3 lots, Niagara Falls. Insurance, \$2,500. | 1,950.00 |
| 799 | MARY C. CONDONLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$2,500. | 1,700.00 |
| 800 | JAMES V. BANKSLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,800. | 1,200.00 |
| 801 | JAMES R. PROCTORLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$2,000. | 1,200.00 |
| 802 | (1-2) DUANE E. BELDEN | 2,000.00 |
| 803 | KARL KEIM 2 lots, La Salle, N. Y. Insurance, \$4,000. | 4,000.00 |

| 805 | FRED WITACRE Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,200. | 1,200.00 |
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| 806 | MAURICE O'BRIEN | 4,000.00 |
| 807 | JAMES P. MUMFORDLot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$800. | 300.00 |
| 808 | THOMAS J. BUYERS | 1,150.00 |
| 809 | Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$1,500. JANE E. ADAMS | 500,00 |
| 810 | Same as 795 above. JOHN F. McDONALD | 7,000.00 |
| 811 | 2 lots, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$8,000. DANIEL J. MAHONEY | 4,000.00 |
| 814 | Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$4,000. BURNICE A. ROZAN | 4,000.00 |
| 815 | Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$5,000. LOTTIE DABROWSKI | 2,150.00 |
| | Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$3,000. | |
| | General Fund Total Bonds and Mortgages\$2 | 31,845.00 |
| | SCHEDULE "E." | |
| 648 | STRICKLAND FUND—BONDS AND MORTGAGES, MARIA MURPHY | 500.00 |
| 762 | FANNIE COLPOYS | 200.00 |
| 795 | JANE E. ADAMS | 2,500.00 |
| 797 | Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$3,000. SAME AS 795 | 500.00 |
| | Total Amount | 3,700.00 |
| | SCHEDULE "F." | |
| | GUARANTEE FUND BONDS AND MORTGAGES. | |
| 753 | G. W. TEFFT | 3,000,00 |
| 796 | JENNIE REISIG | 300.00 |
| | Total Amount\$ | 3,300.00 |
| | SCHEDULE "G." | |
| | CHARLES KENNEDY FUND BONDS AND MORTGAGE | s. |
| 619 | FANNIE COLPOYS | |
| 725 | JAMES M. DICK | 1,000.00 |
| | | |

| 730 | CORA E. HARROUN | 2,000.00 |
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| | Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance, \$2,000. | |
| 732 | STEPHEN J. HEDGES | 1,000.00 |
| | Farm, Colden, N. Y. | , |
| 770 | LOTTIA REICKHOFF | 1,000.00 |
| • • • | Same as No. 616 above. | 2,000,000 |
| 787 | MARY CANAVAN | 1.500.00 |
| | 2 lots, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Insurance (See 744). | , |
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| | Total Amount | 7.500.00 |
| | Total Amount | 7,500.00 |
| | SCHEDULE "H." | 7,500.00 |
| 766 | SCHEDULE "H." LAND CONTRACTS, DECEMBER 31, 1916. | , |
| 766 | SCHEDULE "H." LAND CONTRACTS, DECEMBER 31, 1916. GREATER NIAGARA REALTY CO\$ | 7,500.00 1,925.00 |
| | SCHEDULE "H." LAND CONTRACTS, DECEMBER 31, 1916. GREATER NIAGARA REALTY CO\$ House and lot, 15th St., Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 1,925.00 |
| | SCHEDULE "H." LAND CONTRACTS, DECEMBER 31, 1916. GREATER NIAGARA REALTY CO\$ House and lot, 15th St., Niagara Falls, N. Y. HARRY S. MINER | , |
| | SCHEDULE "H." LAND CONTRACTS, DECEMBER 31, 1916. GREATER NIAGARA REALTY CO\$ House and lot, 15th St., Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 1,925.00 |
| | SCHEDULE "H." LAND CONTRACTS, DECEMBER 31, 1916. GREATER NIAGARA REALTY CO\$ House and lot, 15th St., Niagara Falls, N. Y. HARRY S. MINER | 1,925.00 |
| | SCHEDULE "H." LAND CONTRACTS, DECEMBER 31, 1916. GREATER NIAGARA REALTY CO\$ House and lot, 15th St., Niagara Falls, N. Y. HARRY S. MINER | 1,925.00 |

SCHEDULE "I."

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—VACANT LOTS. Lots 3, 5, 7, 9, 11 and 13, Block 23, South Side Garden Avenue.

CERTIFICATE OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

We, the undersigned members of the Finance Committee of the Board of Trustees of De Veaux College for Orphan and Destitute Children, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full and accurate report for the year ending December 31, 1916, of the receipts and expenditures, and of the invested funds and property and cash on hand of the aforesaid corporation. That the books of account have been audited by the New York and Buffalo Audit Company and have been found correct, and that this report is made up from such books, and is a true statement as shown by them of the financial condition of the corporation on December 31, 1916.

PORTER NORTON,
JOHN K. WALKER,
deLANCEY RANKINE,
Finance Committee

REPORT OF COMMITTEE TO STANDING COMMITTEE.

Rochester, N. Y., May 9th, 1917.

To the Standing Committee of the Diocese of

Western New York.

Gentlemen:-

Your Committee to whom was referred the statement of the Finance Committee of the Board of Trustees of De Veaux College for the year ending December 31, 1916, would respectfully report that, having carefully examined the same, they approve said statement and hereby recommend its acceptance.

ALBERT C. WALKER, SELDEN S. BROWN, Committee. Board of Trustees,
De Veaux College,

Buffalo, March 26th, 1917.

Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Gentlemen:-

Having examined the accounts of your Treasurer for the year ended December 31st, 1916, we submit the following statements:

The Treasurer's Cash Statement was found to be in agreement with the books; all receipts shown thereon have been accounted for, vouchers and cancelled checks were examined for all disbursements made by him, and certificates are on file from the Banks supporting balances on deposit as shown in Balance Sheet herewith.

Mortgages and Contracts as summarized on Exhibit A were examined

and found in order.

In reference to item of Surplus shown on Balance Sheet, it will be noted that we have taken into consideration certain items of Assets not shown on the books or Treasurer's Report. The Treasurer stated that all liabilities of which he had knowledge had been paid prior to December 31st, 1916.

The Statement of Income and Expenditure shows a gain for the year of \$682.82, due principally to increased income from Pay Pupils—no

depreciation has been written off from property assets.

Very truly yours,

NEW YORK & BUFFALO AUDIT COMPANY,

(Signed) H. C. MEECH, C. P. A.

Vice-Pres. and Gen. Mgr.

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET. As at December 31st, 1916, and December 31st, 1915. ASSETS.

| ASSELIS. | |
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| Fixed Endowment— | |
| December 31, 1916 | December 31, 1915 \$ 55,000.00 94,000.00 17,325.80 |
| Totals | \$166,325.80 |
| General Fund, Bonds and Mortgages\$231,845.00 | \$226.871.50 |
| General Fund, Land Contracts | 2,310.00 |
| | 7,990.13 |
| Strickland Fund | |
| Reed Military Medal Fund | 160.00 |
| Charles Kennedy Fund | 7,500.00 |
| O. B. A. of D. V. C., Guaranty Fund 3,565.00 | 3,565.00 |
| Totals | \$256,247.03 |
| Head Masters' Cash\$ 200.00 | \$ 200.00 |
| Cash on Hand 593.70 | |
| | |

| Unexpired Insurance | 594.73 | 320.28 |
|--|--|---|
| Accrued Interest | 2,318.88 | 2,354.22 |
| Past Due Interest | 510.00 | 464.45 |
| Accrued Rent | 224.00 | 158.00 |
| Accounts Receivable (Sundry) | 759.69 | 623.26 |
| Invntory, Pupils' Supplies | 959.58 | 800.00 |
| Totals 12 | \$ 6,160.58 | \$ 4,931.29 |
| - | \$428,733.41 | \$427,504.12 |
| LIABILITIES. | | |
| Endowment | \$422,572.83 | \$422,572.83 |
| Notes Payable | 3,509.80 | 3,610.00 |
| Accounts Payable | | 419.74 |
| Surplus | 2,650.78 | 419.74 901.55 |
| - | \$428 733 41 | \$427,504.12 |
| SURPLUS IS ACCOUNTED FOR AS F | OLLOWS: | φ121,001.12 |
| Deficit per Treasurer's Statement | | |
| Less Assets not taken into account by Treasurer: | | |
| Accrued Interest | \$ 2,318.88 | |
| Past Due Interest | 510.00 | |
| Accrued Rent | 224.00 | |
| Accounts Receivable (Sundry) | 759.69 | |
| Inventory, Pupils' Supplies | 959.58 | |
| Unexpired Insurance | 594.73 | 5,366.88 |
| | | |
| Surplus at December 31st, 1916 | f | \$ 2,650.78 |
| COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AN | ND EXPE | ' ' |
| COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AN For the Years 1916 and 1915 | ND EXPE | NDITURE. |
| COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AT For the Years 1916 and 1915 Income— | ND EXPEN | NDITURE. |
| COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AN For the Years 1916 and 1915 Income— Interest on Investments | ND EXPER . 1916 \$ 14,599.41 | 1915 \$ 15,025.90 |
| COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AT For the Years 1916 and 1915 Income— Interest on Investments | ND EXPEND. . 1916 \$ 14,599.41 335.21 | 1915 \$ 15,025.90 202.47 |
| COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AN For the Years 1916 and 1915 Income— Interest on Investments | ND EXPEN . 1916 \$ 14,599.41 | 1915 \$ 15,025.90 202.47 1,080.17 |
| COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AN For the Years 1916 and 1915 Income— Interest on Investments | **ND EXPEND | 1915 \$ 15,025.90 202.47 1,080.17 37.15 |
| COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AT For the Years 1916 and 1915 Income— Interest on Investments | ND EXPEND 1916 \$ 14,599.41 335.21 1,284.47 150.00 76.34 | 1915 \$ 15,025,90 202,47 1,080,17 37,15 40.04 |
| COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AN For the Years 1916 and 1915 Income— Interest on Investments | ND EXPEN 1916 \$ 14,599.41 335.21 1,284.47 150.00 76.34 10,885.38 | 1915 \$ 15,025.90 202.47 1,080.17 37.15 40.04 8,741.83 |
| COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AT For the Years 1916 and 1915 Income— Interest on Investments | ND EXPEND 1. 1916 \$ 14,599.41 335.21 1,284.47 150.00 76.34 10,885.38 1,167.64 | 1915 \$ 15,025.90 202.47 1,080.17 37.15 40.04 8,741.83 721.44 |
| COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AN For the Years 1916 and 1915 Income— Interest on Investments | 1916 \$ 14,599.41 335.21 1,284.47 150.00 76.34 10,885.38 1,167.64 10.36 | 1915 \$ 15,025.90 202.47 1,080.17 37.15 40.04 8,741.83 721.44 18.35 |
| COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AT For the Years 1916 and 1915 Income— Interest on Investments | ND EXPEND 1. 1916 \$ 14,599.41 335.21 1,284.47 150.00 76.34 10,885.38 1,167.64 | 1915 \$ 15,025.90 202.47 1,080.17 37.15 40.04 8,741.83 721.44 18.35 |
| COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AN For the Years 1916 and 1915 Income— Interest on Investments | ND EXPEND 1916 14,599.41 335.21 1,284.47 150.00 76.34 10,885.38 1,167.64 10.36 31.59 | 1915 \$ 15,025.90 202.47 1,080.17 37.15 40.04 8,741.83 721.44 18.35 3.95 |
| COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AP For the Years 1916 and 1915 Income— Interest on Investments | ND EXPEND 1916 14,599.41 335.21 1,284.47 150.00 76.34 10,885.38 1,167.64 10.36 31.59 | 1915 \$ 15,025.90 202.47 1,080.17 37.15 40.04 8,741.83 721.44 18.35 3.95 |
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| COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AP For the Years 1916 and 1915 Income— Interest on Investments | 1916 \$ 14,599.41 335.21 1,284.47 150.00 76.34 10,885.38 1,167.64 10.36 31.59 \$ 28,540.40 | 1915 \$ 15,025,90 202,47 1,080,17 37,15 40,04 8,741,83 721,44 18,35 3,95 \$ 25,871,30 \$ 21,899,43 |
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(J) Report of Church Pension Fund Committee

To the Eightieth Annual Council of the Diocese of Western New York:

The committee on the Church Pension Fund makes the following report:

The committee is informed that the sum of about \$223,000.00 has been raised in the Diocese, in cash and pledges, for the Initial Reserve of the Church Pension Fund, \$120,000.00 of which was raised in the Archdeaconry of Buffalo, and \$103,000.00 in the Archdeaconry of Rochester.

The committee has elected as its Treasurer, Mr. George T. Ballachey, of Buffalo, who has given a bond of the American Surety Company of New York in the sum of \$5,000.00.

The parishes are warned that failure to pay promptly the assessments for the Fund may result in a loss of benefits to their clergy and their families.

All of which is respectfully presented.

EUGENE C. DENTON,

Chairman.

May 5, 1917.



APPENDIX III.

Parishes and Missions

Organizations

[B] Archdeaconry of Buffalo

[R] Archdeaconry of Rochester

ADDISON—(Steuben County.) (R.)—CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER. The Rev. Hobart L. Marvin in charge. Wardens, Delmar M. Darrin, Almon Beeman. Clerk, Delmar M. Darrin.

ALBION—(Orleans County.) (R.)—CHRIST CHURCH. The Rev. Glenn W. White, Rector. The Rev. F. S. Dunham, Ph. D., Rector Emeritus. Wardens, Hon. W. Crawford C. Ramsdale, Warner Thompson. Treasurer, J. William Cornell. Clerk, Hon. W. Crawford Ramsdale, 14 E. State Street.

ALDEN—(Erie County.) (B.)—STATION. The Rev. the Archdeacon of Buffalo in charge. (No report.)

ALFRED—(Allegany County.) (B.) — UNIVERSITY MISSION CHURCH. The Rev. A. S. Ashley in charge. Lay Reader, Charles F. Binns. Treasurer, Mrs. Affa Smith, Alfred Station.

ALLEN'S HILL—(Ontario County.) (R.)—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. the Archdeacon of Rochester in charge. (No report).

ALLENTOWN — (Allegany County.) (B.) — TRINITY CHURCH. The Rev. Louis Buisch in charge. (No report.)

ANGELICA — (Allegany County.) (B.) — ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. James H. Herendeen, Rector. Wardens, C. D. Buchanan, Herman Rice. Clerk, Jseph C. Herdman.

ANGOLA—(Erie County.) . (B.)—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in charge. Warden, Charles A. Morley. Treasurer, Edward Johns. Clerk, Mrs. Ruby Walters.

ATTICA—(Wyoming County.) (B.)—ST. LUKE'S CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in charge. Warden, C. B. Benedict. Treasurer, John C. Williams. Clerk, F. J. Morgan.

AVOCA—(Steuben County,); (R.)—ST. JAMES' CHURCH. The Rev. C. E. Purdy, M. D. (No report.)

AVON—(Livingston County.) (R.)—ZION CHURCH. The Rev. A. O. Sykes, D.D., Rector. Wardens, R. C. Thurston, W. H. Clark. Treasurer, W. H. Clark. Clerk, R. B. Downing.

BATAVIA—(Genesee County.) (R.)—ST. JAMES' CHURCH. The Rev. Alfred Brittain, Rector. Wardens, Frank B. Redfield, Frank S. Wood. Treasurer, H. S. Vaughan. Clerk, W. G. Pollard. BATH—(Steuben County.) (R.)—ST. THOMAS' CHURCH. The Rev. Charles E. Purdy, M. D., Rector. Wardens, Augustus de Peyster, Clarence Willis. Treasurer, Fred R. Webster, 8 Rumsey St. Clerk, W. H. Simmons, 36 Steuben St.

BELFAST — (Allegany County.) (B.) — GRACE CHURCH. The Rev. James H. Herendeen in charge. Warden, C. J. Seizer. Treasurer, Miss S. S. Jennings.

BELMONT — (Allegany County.) (B.) — ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH. The Rev. John N. Borton in charge. Wardens, Hon. C. H. Brown, James N. Hyde. Treasurer, H. C. Vanderhoef. Clerk, H. R. Sortore.

BELVIDERE—(Allegany County.) (B.)—CHRIST CHURCH. The Rev. John N. Borton in charge. Treasurer, Mrs. C. Winchell. Clerk, Rev. John N. Borton.

BLASDELL—(Erie County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION. The Rev. G. F. J. Sherwood, in charge. Warden, John D. Luther. Treasurer, R. A. Partridge. Clerk, Thomas R. Colley.

BOARDMANSVILLE — (Cattaraugus County.) (B.) — MISSION CHURCH. (No report.)

BOLIVAR—(Allegany County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in charge. Warden, Henry Wilbur. Treasurer, Henry Wilbur.

BRADFORD — (Steuben County.) (R.) — ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. The Rev. G. P. Sommerville, D.D., in charge. Wardens, S. W. Robinson, Carver Longwell. Treasurer, E. C. Switzer. Clerk, E. C. Switzer.

BRANCHPORT — (Yates County.) (R.) — ST. LUKE'S CHURCH—The Rev. J. H. Perkins in charge. Wardens, W. T. Vail, H. R. Sill. Treasurer, C. A. Dowdell, Keuka Park. Clerk, C. A. Dowdell, Keuka Park.

BRANT, (IND.)—(Erie County.) B.)—CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in charge. Treasurer, the Archdeacon.

BROCKPORT — (Monroe County.) (R.) — ST. LUKE'S CHURCH. The Rev. E. P. Burrill, Rector. Wardens, Daniel Holmes, Thomas Dobson. Treasurer, Thomas C. Gordon. Clerk, George Harmon, Market St.

BROCKTON—(Chautauqua County.) (B.)—M I S S I O N CHURCH. (No report.)

BROOKSIDE—(Niagara County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD. The Rev. H. F. Zwicker, in charge. (No report.)

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ALL SAINTS' CHURCH. The Rev. G. Herbert Gaviller, Rector. Wardens, J. B. McCall, J. W. Griswold. Treasurer, A. H. Bingham, 192 Waverly St. Clerk, H. J. Hindson, 302 Riley St.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ASCENSION CHURCH. The Rev. Charles D. Broughton, Rector. Wardens, M. S. Burns, John F. Adams. Treasurer, John F. Adams, 118 Chatham Ave. Clerk, George F. Plimpton, 80 Oakland Pl.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—EPIPHANY CHURCH. The Rev. E. J. Stevens, in charge. (No report.)

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD. The Rev. James Cosby, Rector. Treasurer, A. C. C. Pollard, 1766 Main St.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—GRACE CHURCH. The Rev. John Chamberlain Ward, Rector. The Rev. Gilbert A. Shaw, Curate. Wardens, John Lewis, William E. Plummer. Treasurer, Dr. D. S. Joyce, 143 Englewood Ave. Clerk, J. E. Montgomery, 171 Lafayette Ave.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMMUNION. The Rev. T. B. Clarke, in charge. (No report.)

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—CHAPEL OF HOLY INNOCENTS. (No report.)

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. The Rev. Frank Ernest Aitkins, Rector. Wardens, C. M. Clarke, B. H. Bennett. Treasurer, C. M. Clarke, 313 Elmwood Ave. Clerk, A. W. Bayard, 349 Elmwood Ave.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. CLEMENT'S CHURCH. The Rev. Charles H. Smith, D.D., in charge. The Rev. W. S. Salisbury, Curate. Wardens, Charles A. Lane, W. Wyatt. Treasurer, Leslie Leney. Clerk, W. Wyatt, 29 Mendola St.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. JAMES' CHURCH. The Rev. Charles H. Smith, D.D., Rector. Wardens, H. W. Clendenning, J. M. Palmatier. Treasurer, George H. Andrews, 308 N. Division St. Clerk, G. H. Andrews.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. Walter Russell Lord, Rector. Wardens, H. S. Madden, John T. LaDue. Treasurer, W. L. Curtiss, 215 Lancaster Ave. Clerk, C. M. Baldy, 198 Cleveland Ave.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. JUDE'S CHURCH. The Rev. George Frederick J. Sherwood, Rector. Wardens, William Thompson, H. J. Smith. Treasurer, Joseph Shaw, 25 Woodside Ave. Clerk, Charles A. Swift, 25 Alsace Ave.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. LUKE'S CHURCH. The Rev. Walter North, L.H.D., Rector. The Rev. John Short, Curate. ((No report.)

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. MARK'S CHURCH. The Rev. Nathan W. Stanton, Rector. Wardens, A. H. White, S. H. Dickson. Treasurer, George W. Murdock, 94 Ontario St. Clerk, Conrad Loesch, 99 Gorton St.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. MARY'S CHURCH. The Rev. George Frederick Williams, Rector. Wardens, Thomas M. Gibson, William S. Riselay. Treasurer, E. H. Webster, 164 Lincoln Parkway. Clerk, W. E. Townsend, 713 Seventh St.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH. The Rev. John Oaksford, Rector. (No report.)

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. Charles A. Jessup, D.D., Rector. The Rev. Arthur F. Lowe, Curate. Wardens, Charles R. Wilson, Dr. Matthew D. Mann. Treasurer, E. S. Warren, 1022 Fidelity Bld. Clerk, Ralph Kimberly, 1141 Delaware Ave.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. PETER'S CHURCH. The Rev. Charles H. Smith, D.D., in charge. The Rev. Francis M. Marchant, Vicar. Wardens, William Bowey, Arthur Craib. Treasurer, W. Bowey, 345 Ideal St. Clerk, W. Bowey.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH. The Rev. E. Robert Bennett, B.D., Rector. Wardens, Noble Woods, George Zillard. Treasurer, Joseph H. Martin, 78 W. Huron. Clerk, John E. Brent, 219 Glenwood Ave.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. SIMON'S CHURCH. The Rev. Edwin J. Stevens, Rector. Wardens, Henry N. Yates, James Russell. Treasurer, William Rooney, 51 Mineral Springs Road. Clerk, George Woelfle, 11 Indian Orchard Place.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH. The Rev. Francis A. Ransom, Rector. Wardens, William H. Hartz, Robert T. Gibson. Treasurer, Harry C. Becker, 1990 Bailey Ave. Clerk, Robert T. Gibson, 144 Wende St.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. THOMAS' CHURCH. (No report.)

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—TRINITY CHURCH. The Rev. Cameron J. Davis, Rector. The Rev. Rush R. Sloane, Assistant Minister. Wardens, Elbert B. Mann, Dr. DeLancey Rochester. Treasurer, Shepard Kimberly, 51 Irving Place. Clerk, Rodney D. Hall, 61 Anderson Place.

BUSHNELL'S BASIN—(Monroe County.) (R.)—ST. PETER'S CHURCH. The Rev. Guthrie DeWitt Dowling, D.D., in charge. Treasurer, Thomas Curwood, Pittsford, N. Y.

CALEDONIA—(Livingston County.) (R.)—ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH—. The Rev. Francis C. Woodward, in charge. Warden, William Keenan. Treasurer, Mrs. T. Davenport. Clerk, Thomas Davenport.

CANANDAIGUA — (Ontario County.) (R.) — ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. Herbert L. Gaylord, Ph.D., Rector. Wardens, Thomas H. Bennett, Edward S. Pierson. Treasurer, H. A. Beeman, Gibson St. Clerk, Luther N. Steele, Howell St.

CANASERAGA—(Allegany County.) (B.)—TRINITY CHURCH. (No report.)

CANISTEO—(Steuben County.) (R.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. A. S. Ashley, in charge. (No report.)

CATHARINE—(Schuyler County.) (R.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. Francis F. Rice, Rector. Wardens, William S. Lattin, Harvey J. Couch. Treasurer, H. J. Couch, Odessa, N. Y. Clerk, Louis E. Caltin, Odessa, N. Y.

CHAUTAUQUA—(Chautauqua County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD. The Rev. T. H. Delbridge, in charge. Trustees, The Bishop, the Archdeacon, four clergymen and four laymen. Treasurer, Miss Annie Morey.

CLIFTON SPRINGS—(Ontario County.) (R.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. M. G. Freeman, Rector. Wardens, Nathaniel B. Briggs, M. J. McMaster. Treasurer, F. A. DeGraw. Clerk, M. J. McMaster.

CLYDE—(Wayne County.) (R.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. The he Rev. S. F. Adam, in charge. Wardens, DeLancey Stow, Frank H. Daboll. Treasurer, J. G. Corrigan. Clerk, Chas. R. Fisher.

CORFU—(Genesee County.) (B.)—ST. LUKE'S CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in charge. Warden, John Mayne. Treasurer, Mrs. Bertha Rowley. Clerk, Mrs. Bertha Rowley.

CORNING—(Steuben County.) (R.)—CHRIST CHURCH. The Rev. Zebulon S. Farland, Rector. The Rev. William T. Sherwood, Curate. Wardens, R. H. Canfield, Leigh R. Hunt. Treasurer, Leigh R. Hunt, 10 East Fourth St. Clerk, Cyrus D. Sill.

CUBA—(Allegany County.) (B.)—CHRIST CHURCH. The Rev. J. Godfrey Wilson, Jr., Rector. Wardens, W. B. Ackerly, F. B. Simpson. Treasurer, W. B. Ackerly, 33 South St. Clerk, Ralph Wheeler, South St.

DANSVILLE—(Livingston County.) (R.)—ST. PETER'S MEMORIAL CHURCH. The Rev. C. W. Hakes, M. D., Rector. (No report.)

DARIEN CENTER—(Genesee County.) (B.)—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in charge. Warden, John Stucki. Treasurer, Miss Clara Timbey.

DEPEW—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in Charge. Warden, W. W. Sanderson. Treasurer, W. W. Sanderson.

DRESDEN—(Yates County.) (R.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Rochester, in charge. Wardens, Fred Moore, William Berkett. Treasurer, Mrs. Clarence Angus.

DUNDEE—(Yates County.) (R.)—GRACE CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Rochester, in charge. Wardens, Hon. George P. Lord, John B. Clark.

DUNKIRK—(Chautauqua County.) (B.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. (No report.)

EAST AURORA—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. MATTHIAS' CHURCH. The Rev. Henry de Wolf de Mauriac, Rector. Wardens, E. T. Johnson, John T. Coit. Treasurer, E. T. Johnson, 370 Main St. Clerk, R. M. Cushman, Park Place.

EAST BLOOMFIELD—(Ontario County.) (R.)—ST, PET-ER'S CHURCH. (No report.)

EAST RANDOLPH—(Cattaraugus County.) (B.)—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. Paul B. Hoffman, in charge. Treasurer, Miss Edith Foy.

EAST ROCHESTER—(Monroe County.) (R.)—ST. MAT-THIAS' CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Rochester. Treasurer, C. C. Commins, East Rochester.

ELLICOTTVILLE—(Cattaraugus County.) (B.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. John Henry Parsons, Rector. Wardens, Grant F. Smith, Walter Moffit. Treasurer, Grant F. Smith. Clerk, G. F. Smith.

FAIRPORT—(Monroe County.) (R.)—ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, (No report.)

FORESTVILLE—(Chautauqua County.) (B.)—ST. PETER'S CHURCH. The Rev. Samuel Evans, in charge. Wardens, W. E. Condee, L. A. Washburne. Treasurer, Mrs. H. C. Farnham. Clerk, H. B. Thompson.

FRANKLINVILLE—(Chautauqua County.) (B.)—ST. BARNABAS' CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in charge. Warden, Charles Kelley, M. D. Treasurer, Mrs. Earl McLouth.

FREDONIA—(Chautauqua County.) (B.)—TRINITY CHURCH. The Rev. W. De L. Benton, D.D., Rector. (No report.)

FRIENDSHIP—(Allegany County.) (B.)—ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. The Rev.J. Godfrey Wilson, Jr., in charge. Warden, Frederick R. King.

GENESEO—(Livingston County.) (R.)—ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH. The Rev. J. W. Denness Cooper, Rector. (No report.)

GENEVA—(Ontario County.) (R.)—S T . A N D R E W 'S CHURCH. (No report.)

GENEVA—(Ontario County.) (R.)—ST. PETER'S CHURCH. The Rev. Kenneth A. Bray, Rector. (No report.)

GENEVA—(Ontario County.) (R.)—TRINITY CHURCH. The Rev. C. M. Sills, D.D., Rector. (No report.)

GOWANDA—(Cattaraugus County.) (B.)—ST. MARY'S CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in charge. Warden, E. V. Grey, M. D. Treasurer, W. B. Temple. Clerk, George T. Welch.

HAMBURG—(Erie County.) (B.)—TRINITY CHURCH. The Rev. Augustus Forde, in charge. Warden, Albert Dodge. Treasurer, T. G. Fennel. Clerk, W. R. Evans.

HAMMONDSPORT, — (Steuben County.) (R.)—ST. JAMES' CHURCH. The Rev. G. P. Sommerville, D. D., Rector. Wardens, John Cushing, G. Ray Hall. Treasurer, John Cushing. H. Y. Rose.

HIMRODS—(Yates County.) (R.)—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Rochester, in charge. Treasurer, Miss Jennie Longeor.

HINSDALE—(Cattaraugus County.) (B.)—ST. PETER'S CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in Charge. Treasurer, Mrs. S. N. Wood.

HOLLEY—(Orleans County.) (R.)—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. (No report.)

HONEOYE FALLS—(Monroe County.) (R.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. (No report.)

HORNELL—(Steuben County.) (R.)—CHRIST CHURCH. (No report.)

HUNTS—(Livingston County.) (R.)—ST. MARK'S CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Rochester, in charge. Wardens, E. W. Allen, C. S. French. Treasurer, B. J. Edmonds. Clerk, B. J. Edmonds.

IRVING — (Chautauqua County,) (B.) — ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. The Rev. Samuel Evans, in charge. Warden, Dr. W. J. Squire. Treasurer, Edward T. Berry. Clerk, T. H. Clough, Buffalo, N. Y.

JAMESTOWN—(Chautauqua County.) (B.)—ST. LUKE'S CHURCH. The Rev. L. W. Snell, Rector. Wardens, Col. William F. Endress, A. F. Fidler. Treasurer, Freredick P. Hall, 211 Lakeview Ave. Clerk, George H. Cooke, 101 Murray Ave.

KENMORE—(Erie County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF THE AD-VENT. The Rev. Edward Cosbey, in charge. Warden, Charles J. J. Seaman. Treasurer, H. T. Campbell. Clerk, George W. Diebold.

LACKAWANNA—(Erie County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR. The Rev. George Frederick John Sherwood, in Charge. Warden, Robert Upton Smith. Treasurer, F. W. Priesbach, Girard Avenue, Lackawanna, N. Y. Clerk, Miss Florence Smith, 1595 Electric Avenue.

LANCASTER—(Erie County.) (B.)—TRINITY CHURCH.
The Rev. George M. Irish, Rector. Wardens, George A. Davis,
Henry A. Dann. Treasurer, George A. Davis. Clerk, George A.
Davis.

LEROY—(Genesee County.) (R.)—ST. MARK'S CHURCH. The Rev. Pierre Cushing, Rector. (No Report.)

LEWISTON—(Niagara County.) (B.)—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. J. H. Shepard, in Charge. (No report.)

LITTLE VALLEY—(Cattaraugus County.) (B.)—ST. PETER'S CHURCH. The Rev. Paul B. Hoffman, in Charge. Warden, Charles E. Van Aken. Treasurer, Mrs. Estella Merow.

LOCKPORT—(Niagara County.) (B.)—A L L S A I N T S' CHAPEL. The Rev. Henry F. Zwicker, in Charge. The Rev. H. I. Lynde, Vicar. (No report.)

LOCKPORT—(Niagara County.) (B.)—CHRIST CHURCH.
The Rev. W. H. G. Lewis, Rector. Wardens, William Marshall,
Fred W. Drew. Treasurer, A. Percy Drew, 156 Vine Street.
Clerk, Fred W. Drew, Carlton Place.

LOCKPORT—(Niagara County.) (B.)—GRACE CHURCH.
The Rev. Henry F. Zwicker, Rector. Wardens, W. A. Williams,
E. H. Boynton. Treasurer, William Richmond, High Street.
Clerk, E. H. Boynton, South Transit Street.

LYONS—(Wayne County.) (R.)—GRACE CHURCH. The Rev. George Henry Ottoway, Rector. Wardens, La Motte Blakely, Fred W. Chamberlain. Treasurer, F. W. Chamberlain, Alton, N. Y. Clerk, Burton Allee.

MANCHESTER—(Ontario County.) (R.) — ST, JOHN'S CHURCH. (No report.)

MEDINA—(Orleans County.) (R.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. Charles Bayfield Sparks, Rector. Wardens, George Shattuck, H. F. Welton. Treasurer, H. F. Welton. Clerk H. F. Welton.

MIDDLEPORT — (Niagara County.) (B.) — TRINITY CHURCH. The Rev. W. H. G. Lewis, in Charge. Wardens, H. A. Wilmot, M. D., Charles F. Ewing. Treasurer, C. A. McDonald. Clerk, Dr. H. A. Wilmot.

MONTOUR FALLS—(Schuyler County.) (R.)—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. F. N. Bouck, in Charge. (No report.)

MOUNT MORRIS—(Livingston County.) (R.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. Percy Isherwood, Rector. Wardens, Arthur Sawyer, John M. Prophet. Treasurer, Arthur Sawyer. Clerk, Arthur Sawyer.

NEWARK—(Wayne County.) (R.)—ST. MARK'S CHURCH. The Rev. F. W. Feary, Rector. (No report.)

NEW TOWN (Indian)—(Erie County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in Charge. Treasurer, the Archdeacon.

NIAGARA FALLS—(Niagara County.) (B.)—EPIPHANY CHURCH. The Rev. David Henry Weeks, Rector. Wardens, C. C. Rice, W. J. S. Drew. Treasurer, Arthur Batts, 438 Seventh St. Clerk, W. J. S. Drew, 1350 North Avenue.

NIAGARA FALLS—(Niagara County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER. The Rev. Philip W. Mosher, B. D., Rector. The Rev. John Sagar, Curate. Treasurer, R. V. Rose, 303 Jefferson Avenue. Clerk, R. V. Rose.

NIAGARA FALLS—(Niagara County.) (B.)—ST. AMBROSE CHAPEL. The Rev. William S. Barrows, in Charge.

NIAGARA FALLS—(Niagara County.) (B.)—ST. PETER'S CHURCH. The Rev. Philip W. Mosher, B. D., Rector. Wardens, Gen. L. W. Pettebone, Alex. J. Porter. Treasurer, A. W. Thompson, 546 Tenth Street. Clerk, R. V. Rose, 303 Jefferson Avenue.

NORTH TONAWANDA — (Niagara County.) (B.) — ST. MARK'S CHURCH. The Rev. G. S. Burrows, Rector. Wardens, W. H. Stradella, J. H. Edwards. Treasurer, W. H. Stradella, 335 Goundry Street. Clerk, W. H. Stradella.

NUNDA—(Livingston County.) (R.)—GRACE CHURCH. (No report.)

OAKFIELD—(Genesee County.) (R.) — ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH. The Rev. Curtis Carlos Gove, Rector. Wardens, Arthur B. Rathbone, Henry Halsey. Treasurer, F. A. Hackley. Clerk, Charles F. Safford.

OLCOTT—(Niagara County.) (B.) — S.T. ANDREW'S CHURCH. The Rev. H. F. Zwicker, in Charge. (No report.)

OLEAN—(Cattaraugus County.) (B.) — ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH. The Rev. Hubert Cowley-Carroll, Rector. Wardens, John Sloane, Creighton Andrews. Clerk, Creighton Andrews.

ORCHARD PARK—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. MARK'S CHURCH. The Rev. R. Augustus Forde, in Charge. Warden, J. Townsend. Treasurer, Miss Murphy.

PALMYRA—(Wayne County.) (R.)—ZION CHURCH. The Rev. Jerome Kates, in Charge. Wardens, J. K. Williamson, John C. Coates. Treasurer, Julius Phelps.

PENN YAN—(Yates County.) (R.)—ST. MARK'S CHURCH. The Rev. J. H. Perkins, Rector. Wardens, H. W. Perkins, George S. Sheppard. Treasurer, O. F. Randolph. Clerk, Geo. S. Sheppard.

PERRY—(Wyoming County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF THE HOLY APOSTLES. The Rev. Percy Isherwood, in Charge. Warden, Robert Standbridge. Treasurer, Charles MacDonald, 24 Olin Avenue. Clerk, Charles MacDonald.

PHELPS—(Ontario County.) (R.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. (No report.)

PIFFARD—(Livingston County.) (R.)—MISSION CHURCH.

The Rev. J. W. D. Cooper, in Charge. (No report.)

PITTSFORD—(Monroe County.) (R.)—CHRIST CHURCH. The Rev. Gasherie DeWitt Dowling, D.D., Rector. Wardens, Geo. Miller, George Thomas. Treasurer, Philip C. Rand. Clerk, Geo. Thomas.

RANDOLPH — (Cattaraugus County.) (B.) — GRACE CHURCH. The Rev. Paul B. Hoffman, Rector. Wardens, Capt. J. H. Lyman, Dr. M. C. Hawley. Treasurer, Miss Elizabeth Beecher. Clerk, F. D. Freeborn.

RIPLEY—(Chautauqua County.) (B.)—TRINITY CHURCH.
The Rev. Fred Wm. Burge. in Charge. Warden, H. Frank Smith.
Treasurer, Mrs. H. F. Smith.

ROCHESTER—(Monroe County.) (R.) — ASCENSION CHURCH. The Rev. William C. Compton, Rector. Wardens, Henry T. Brown, Harry S. Welsh. Treasurer, F. D. Haak, 188 Albemarle Street. Clerk, G. A. Jackson, 240 Augustine Street.

ROCHESTER—(Monroe County.) (R.)—CHRIST CHURCH. The Rev. D. L. Ferris, Rector. (No report.)

ROCHESTER—(Monroe County.) (R.) — **EPIPHANY** CHURCH. The Rev. Webster Wardell Jennings, Rector. Wardens, Ednor A. Marsh, W. Herbert Wall. Treasurer, George H. Perkins, 111Westminster Road. Clerk S. H. Crosland, 16 Paige Street.

ROCHESTER—(Monroe County.) (R.)—ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. The Rev. Frederick Crosby Lee, Rector. Wardens, James Bailey, Richard J. Neafie. Treasurer, Harry E. Backus, 451 S. Goodman Street. Clerk, Joseph Lee Humphrey, Granite Bldg.

ROCHESTER—(Monroe County.) (R.)—ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH. The Rev. William S. McCoy, in Charge. Wardens, N. J. Karl. Treasurer, Richard Williamson, 253 Albemarle Street. Clerk, Morley B. Turpin, 39 Braddock Street.

ROCHESTER—(Monroe County.) (R.)—ST. JAMES' CHURCH. The Rev. J. C. Gairdner, Rector. Wardens, F. J. Tunmore, F. P. Brewer. Treasurer, A. E. Whilpley, 116 Lux Street. Clerk, J. H. Hathaway, 408 St. Augustine Street.

ROCHESTER—(Monroe County.) (R.)—ST. LUKE'S CHURCH. The Rev. Samuel Tyler, Rector. The Rev. Harry Idle, Curate. Wardens, Clinton Rogers, Josiah Anstice. Treasurer, George F. Ames, 40 Prince Street. Clerk, Thomas Shannon, 28 Buena Place.

ROCHESTER—(Monroe County.) (R.) — ST. MARK'S CHURCH. The Rev. E. P. Hart, Rector. (No report.)

ROCHESTER—(Monroe County.) (R.)—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. William A. R. Goodwin, D.D., Rector. The Rev. John K. Burleson, D. D., Curate. Wardens, Hiram W. Sibley, Thomas G. Moulson. Treasurer, Benjamin B. Chace, 716 Insurance

Building. Clerk, George F. Johnston, 26 Buckingham Street.

ROCHESTER—(Monroe County.) (R.)—ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH. The Rev. Thomas J. Shannon, S.T.B., Rector. Wardens, George P. Yost, Charles A. Sweet. Treasurer, Geo. P. Yost, 62 Rugby Street. Clerk, George F. Allman, 88 Weilington Avenue.

ROCHESTER—(Monroe County.) (R.)—ST. THOMAS CHURCH. The Rev. Evan H. Martin, Rector. Wardens, Sheridan Daboll, Jacob Teall. Treasurer, Sheridan Daboll, 805 Harvard Street. Clerk, George Taylor, 678 So. Goodman Street.

ROCHESTER—(Monroe County.) (R.)—TRINITY CHURCH. The Rev. Charles Rogers Allison, Rector. Wardens, John F. White, John H. Kinne. Treasurer, S. L. Crabbe, 514 Granite Building. Clerk, Lorin E. Mason, 23 Locust Street.

SALAMANCA—(Cattaraugus County.) (B.)—ST. MARY'S CHURCH. The Rev. R. D. Baldwin, Rector. Wardens, George A. Adams, Mead D. Wright. Treasurer, W. A. Hevenor. Clerk, Fred Seitz.

SAVONA—(Steuben County.) (R.)—CHAPEL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD. The Rev. C. E. Purdy, M. D., in Charge. (No report.)

SCOTTSVILLE—(Monroe County.) (R.)—GRACE CHURCH. The Rev. Francis C. Woodard, Rector. Wardens, Hon. S. S. Brown, Dr. J. F. McAmmond. Treasurer, Hon. S. S. Brown. Clerk, Dr. J. F. McAmmond.

SHORTSVILLE—(Ontario County.) (R.)—TRINITY CHURCH The Rev., the Archdeacon of Rochester, in Charge. Treasurer, E. D. Mather.

SILVER CREEK—(Chautauqua County.) (B.)—ST. ALBAN'S CHURCH. The Rev. Samuel Evans, Rector, in Charge. Wardens, Joseph Donnelly, Frank Lipsey. Treasurer, A. B. Chapman. Clerk. A. L. Brown.

SINCLAIRVILLE — (Chautauqua County.) (B.) — A L L SAINTS' CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in Charge. Warden, John Trusler. Treasurer, Wm. N. Spear. Clerk, Ernest Irwin.

SODUS—(Wayne County.) (R.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. (No report.)

SODUS CENTER—(Wayne County.) (R.)—ST. LUKE'S CHURCH. (No report.)

SODUS POINT—(Wayne County.) (R.)—CHRIST CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Rochester, in Charge. Warden, R. G. Sill. Treasurer, Mrs. C. C. Field.

SOUTH PHELPS—(Ontario County.) (R.)—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, (No report.)

SPENCERPORT—(Monroe County.) (R.)—CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION. (No report.)

SPRINGVILLE—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. John Henry Parsons, in Charge. Warden, Henry Ware. Treasurer, E. L. Wyatt. Clerk, Lloyd Ware.

STAFFORD—(Genesee County.) (R.)—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. Pierre Cushing, Rector. (No report.)

UNION HILL—(Monroe County.) (R.)—CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD. (No report.)

VICTOR—(Monroe County.) (R.)—CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD. The Rev. Gasherie DeWitt Dowling, in Charge.

WARSAW—(Wyoming County.) (R.)—TRINITY CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in Charge. Wardens, Jacob M. Smith, Edward H. Morris. Treasurer, Edward B. Morris. Clerk, F. L. Morris.

WATKINS—(Schuyler County.) (R.)—ST. JAMES' CHURCH. The Rev. Frank Norwood Bouck, Rector. (No report.)

WAYNE—(Steuben County.) (R.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. (No report.)

WELLSVILLE—(Allegany County.) (B.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. (No report.)

WESTFIELD—(Chautauqua County.) (B.)—ST. PETER'S CHURCH. The Rev. Frederick William Burge, Rector. Wardens, Frank W. Crandall, Ben Boult. Treasurer, Henry J. Lockwood. Clerk, Alburn E. Skinner.

WETHERSFIELD SPRINGS—(Wyoming County.) (B.)—ST. CLEMENT'S CHURCH. (No report.)

WILLIAMSVILLE — (Erie County.) (B.) — CALVARY CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in Charge. Warden, Robert A. Thorner. Treasurer, Egbert E. Allen. Clerk, Russell Monkhouse.

WOLCOTT—(Wayne County.) (R.)—ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Rochester, in Charge. Treasurer, Miss Caroline H. Bliss.

YOUNGSTOWN—(Niagara County.) (B.) — ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. J. H. Shepard, in Charge. (No report.)

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Financial Report

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| | ES | Parish Guilds | \$ 19.15 | 54.33 | 147.67 | 92.00 1,577.58 1,100.14 502.62 | 69.92 |
| | | Extra Diocesan | \$ 20.00 162.37 26.57 | 15.87 | 20.00 180.00 5.00 10.00 25.00 | 150.00 424.50 606.58 320.00 | 15.00 |
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| | | Parish Current Expenses | \$ 808.83 \$ 1,290.17 56.44 | 325.68 137.30 238.03 | 2,508.79 9,508.79 9,05.15 90.50 1,25.0 | 2,132.72 4,548.80 4,642.42 4,204.49 | 1,570.84 235.81 2,323.55 |
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| | | Balance May 1, 1916 | \$ 92.61 | 6.51 | 1120.85 58.04 85.26 111.89 46.08 | 404.89 | 13.42 67.91 991.07 |
| | | PARISH | Addison Albion Alden Alfred Alfred | Allentown Angelica Angola Attica | Avora Avon Baravia Barath Belfatt Belfast Belmont Belvidere Blasdell Branchport Branchport Brank (Ind) Brank (Ind) Brockont | Buffalo: All Saints. Ascension. Epiphany. Good Shepherd Grace. Holy Communion. | Holy Innocents St. Andrew's St. Clement's St. James'. |

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| 7000 | | anish Current Expenses | Parish Current Expenses | 190.00 1,4901.82 1,429.55 1,374.17 4,405.98 1,291.08 1,291.08 1,291.08 1,763.29 4,20.31 1,154.40 1,154.40 654.36 1,935.83 1,935.83 | |
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| ווכלסוו | RECEIPTS | Total Receipts | 206.00 226.00 226.00 1,173.52 1,270.75 1,703.24 1,941.67 2,440.84 42.83 9,813.7 9,813.7 9,813.7 9,813.7 9,813.7 9,813.7 9,813.7 9,813.7 9,813.7 9,813.7 9,813.7 8,83.9 | : | |
| mancial | | sbliuD dans Tro T | 272.12 38.19 38.19 582.25 160.00 160.00 465.67 | : | |
| Jula | | obissuO sesoquu AsirsA | 423.09 80.18 80.18 93.00 93.00 55.90 64.38 43.98 43.98 85.55 50.16 86.88 20.16 30.91 | : | |
| | | Special Parochial | 135.53 50.00 46.25 51.8 44 157.50 100.00 30.00 30.00 2,29164 2,29164 | | |
| | | froqque dains q 10-q | 206.00 206.00 206.00 1,6558.04 1,6558.04 1,6558.04 1,6558.04 1,6558.04 1,6558.04 1,6558.04 1,287.94 1,287 | | |
| | | Balance May 1, | 127.22 127.22 20.494 494 495 438.71 145.74 438.71 1342.27 1.070.90 | | |
| | | PARISH | Himrods Himsdale Holley Honeoye Falls Honeoye Falls Honeoye Falls Honeoye Falls Honeoye Falls Honeye Loreoye Leaceawana Laceawana Laceawana Laceawana Lewiston Little Valley Lockport: All Saints Onrist Good Shepherd Grace Lyons Manchester Manc | Nunda | |

| 736.50 | 4,489.31 699.38 2,365.36 837.57 152.50 | 1,618.29 591.64 33.23 | 4,534.50 12,429.55 17,083.11 12,288.28 1879.63 3,216.20 11,269.80 | 23,252.27 1,856.43 913.77 4,595.41 948.28 | 1,195.03 206.00 512.80 67.10 | 47.00 | 159.22 295.07 | 1,233.62 45.50 9.00 \$365,050.31 |
|--------|--|---|---|---|--|---|-------------------|--|
| : | 353.06 | 117.35 | 462.26 531.20 50.00 203.13 | 1,415.75 | 23.15 | | | 35.50 |
| 92.00 | 236.11 73.11 3.25 | 20.25 | 20.54 1,234.10 243.35 630.59 52.85 | 7,205.85 | 120.98 | | | 146.87 |
| 55.00 | 15.00 50.00 41.27 10.00 | 17.15 | 66.66 469.07 92.29 235.00 6.10 | 1,268.77 46.41 185.63 84.59 | 95.18 | | 28.06 | 20.00 10.00 \$9,200.78 |
| 44.50 | 1,708.13 | 66.15 | 285.81 15,1238.52 15,125.07 6,885.40 418.54 616.03 5,096.31 | 1,646.02 50.00 129.05 1,024.00 | 120.00 21.79 15.00 | | 5.50 | \$5.50 1,233.62 35.50 10.00 45.50 9.00 \$2,132.24 \$169,774.06 \$147,508.36 \$9,200.78 \$22,004.45 \$15,064.25 \$365,050.31 |
| 545.00 | 2,192.01 (84.38 1,734.09 796.30 138.31 | 1,397.39 363.37 22.40 | 2,141.23 8,956.66 1,612.12 4,487.29 199.01 2,600.17 5,577.73 | 11,715.88 1,611.79 667.36 2,660.40 863.69 | 835.92 206.00 415.07 35.00 | 47.00 | 153.72 | 941.93 35.50 9.00 \$169,774.06 |
| : | | | 1,350.00 | | | | | |
| 736.50 | 4,678.60 5,252.23 854.88 185.57 | 1,639.75 723.02 35.96 | 3,239.01 15,447.41 17,623.98 12,423.34 950.43 3,230.59 9,602.27 | 26,272.79 2,386.44 971.87 4,596.77 954.87 | 1,330.07 211.00 588.71 100.00 | 47.00 | 159.22 | 354.12 433.68 433.68 433.68 900 900 900 \$25,178.22 \$199,582.48 \$123,937.18 \$27,716.79 \$20,207.87 \$395,429.25 |
| | 636.92 | 110.63 | 540.25 452.40 50.00 241.13 | 2,915.22 451.90 20.56 481.57 | 135.82 | | | 43.37 |
| 159.50 | 171.32 73.11 56.27 13.25 | 37.40 | 1,868.82 320.63 865.59 53.10 842.40 | 8,149.60 76.22 118.94 456.33 | 216.16 | | | 177.34 |
| 31.50 | 409.69 | 30.18 | 1,811.12 15,104.03 6,355.21 6,855.21 616.03 491.83 | 1,500.03 66.25 114.39 238.41 | 15.00 | | | 85.99 8123,937.18 |
| 545.50 | 3,870.86 540.15 1,131.87 663.96 172.32 | 1,392.00 352.47 31.80 | 2,296.55 11,315.07 2,139.32 5,152.54 5,152.54 2,614.56 5,169.90 | 12,819.94 1,792.07 1,792.07 2,982.50 954.87 | 1,113.91 211.00 402.02 85.00 | 47.00 | 159.22 | 983.08 433.68 9.00 \$199,582.48 |
| • | 416.41 | 79.54 10.00 4.16 | 155.50 21.89 50.74 23.02 | 888.00 131.84 164.32 159.44 121.49 | 50.87 | | 6.14 | 354.12 \$25,178.22 |
| meld | foott Olean Orchard Park Palmyra Pen Yan Pen Yan Pen Pen Pen | Piffard Pittsford Randolph Ripley. | | St. Mark 8. St. Paul's. St. Stephen's. St. Thomas' Trinity. | Savona Scottsville Shortsville Silver Creek | Sodus Center Sodus Point South Phelps Spencerport Springville | Union Hill Victor | eld Springs. |
| | | | | | | | | |

Salaries, Property, Etc.

| | | Іпецівпос | \$ 3,700.00 | 500.00 6,800.00 1,500.00 3,700.00 | 13,000.00 17,500.00 47,000.00 1,000.00 1,800.00 | 2,500.00 | 7,000.00 | 32,500.00 2,500.00 28,000.00 31,000.00 |
|---|----------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|---|---|--|---|---|
| | | In Chapel | 150 | | 45 | | | |
| | Sittings | ыТ | | 125 | 200 120 200 200 200 | 155 | 1000 | _ : : |
| | | ,oN IstoT | 400 | 125 | | 26. | 300 | :: : |
| | | bard sulsV latoT sgaibliud bas | \$ 13,328.83 28,500.00 | | 23,700.00 126,000.00 8,110.00 1,800.00 | 2,450.00 10,350.00 2,800.00 31,500.00 | 56,500.00 114,500.00 53,000.00 | :: |
| | | bns.l | | \$325 | 4,825 | 150 | 22,500 | ::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::: |
| | | seuoH daina¶ | | 008 | 12,000 | 8,000 | 2,500 | 8,000 1,000 1,500 |
| | | Rectory | \$ 2.500 | 2,000 | 8,000 4,000 2,000 | 800 | 15,000 | 4,000 |
| | | Chapel | \$ 1,500 | | | | | ::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::: |
| | | Сһитећ | \$ 10,000 | 2,500 | 12,000 889,000 60,000 4,000 900 | 3,000 1,500 10,000 2,200 20,000 | 34,000 85,000 | 12,500 2,000 28,000 56,574 |
| | , | Debts | | 400.00 | 25,2950.00 | | 5,000.00 | 2,125.00 |
| | | Invested Funds | | | 22,295.00 | 2,000.00 | 12,000.00 | 11,274.86 |
| | | Endowments | \$ 3,563.72 11,000.00 | 1,150.00 | 44,500.00 22,065.00 610.00 | 2,300.00 2,250.00 522.09 | 149.21 | 8,745.00 |
| | ries | Curate's or Vicar's | | | | | | |
| | Salaries | Rector's | 800 | 500 | 2,100 1,500 100 600 300 | 200 | 1,150 | |
| 1 | | PARISH | AddisonAlden | Alfred Allen's Hill Allentown Angelica Angela | Avoca Avon Batavia Bath Belfast Belmont Belvidere | Blasdell Bolivar Bradford Branchport Brant (Ind) Brockport | Buffalo: All Saints. Ascension Epiphany Good Shepherd | Holy Communion Holy Innocents. St. Andrew's. St. Clement's. St. James' St. James' |

| St. Jude's | 1,200 | 1,200 | | | 550.00 | 5,700 | • • • | 4,500 | 3,500 | | 14,100.00 | | - | | 7,500.00 |
|-------------------------------|-------|-------------|------------------|-----------|-----------|----------------|---------|--------|-----------|-------|---|-------|-----------------|--------|-----------------------------------|
| St. Mark's | 800 | | | 8,900.00 | 10,500.00 | 6,400 | 2,500 | 5,000 | 3,200 | 6,400 | 28,000 00 | 250 | 250 | 150 | 15,500.00 |
| St. Matthew's | 4,000 | 1,800 | 1,800 214,241.01 | | 24,550.00 | 200,000 | | 20,000 | 40,000 30 | 5,000 | 607,300.000 | 800 | : : : : : | : | 131,000.00 |
| St. Peter's | 006 | : : | | | | 6,000 | : : | | | 1,000 | 8,500.00 28,500.00 | 300 | 300 | : | 3,000.00 |
| St. Simon's | 1,200 | | | | 1,200.00 | 6,500 | | 2,500 | 2,000 | 1,600 | 13,600.00 | 200 | 110 | | 7,000.00 |
| St. Thomas' | | :: | 4,000.00 | 39,000.00 | 4,000.00 | 150,000 | 100,000 | | 76,000 | | 326,000.00 | 800 | : | 200 | 201,700.00 |
| Caledonia. | 250 | | | | 4 047 50 | 3,000 3,000 | • • • | | | 62 | 3,100.00 | 120 | 120 | | 2,000.00 |
| Canaseraga | 1,000 | | | | 20.140,4 | | | | | : : | *************************************** | • | : | | |
| Catharine | | : : | 3,500.00 | | | 3,000 | | | 200 | | 6,950.00 | 125 | 125 | : | 2,000.00 |
| Chautauqua Clifton Springs | 800 | | | | | 15,000 | | 2,000 | | 1,200 | 18,000.00 | 172 | 175 | 50 | 7,000.00 |
| Corfu | nne | | | | 6,852.00 | 15,000 | | 3,500 | | 2000 | 2.700.00 | 100 | 100 | 40 | 1,000,00 |
| | 2,750 | 2,750 1,500 | | | 5,000.00 | 75,000 | 2,000 | 6,000 | | 7,000 | 12,500.00 | 715 | 715 | 20 | 96,500.00 |
| : | : | : | | | | 1 500 | : | | | 1001 | 1 600 000 | 10.5 | - 6 | • | 00000 |
| Depew | 100 | | 08.6 | 560.68 | | 2,500 | | | | 2000 | 3,600.00 | 172 | 1720 | : : | 2,700.00 |
| Dundee | | : : | | | | 4,000 | | | | 800 | | 120 | 120 | • • | 2,000.00 |
| East Aurora | 1,200 | | | | 1,600.00 | 4,000 | | 5,000 | | 1,000 | 13,000.00 | 130 | 130 | : : | 9,600.00 |
| East Randolph | | | | | | 2,500 | | | | | 2,500.00 | 125 | 125 | : : | 1,000.00 |
| Ellicottville | 009 | : : | 1,200.00 | | | 2,500 | | 1,800 | | | 10,000.00 | 175 | 175 | : : | 5,350.00 |
| Forestville. | 135 | | | | | 3,000 | | | | : : | 3,000.00 | 125 | 125 | : : | 1,000.00 |
| Fredonia | : | : | | : | | : | : | : | | : | 100.00 | : | : | · : | |
| Friendship | 100 | | | | | 3,000 | | | | | 3,000.00 | 130 | 130 | | |
| Geneva: | : | : | | | | : | : | : | | : | | : | : | : | |
| St. Peter's | : : | | | | | | | | | : : | | :: | | : : | |
| Trinity Gowanda | . 500 | | | | 600.00 | 10,000 | : : | : : | | . 006 | 1,900.00 | 175 | 175 | :: | 5,750.00 |
| Hamburg Hammondsport | 1,100 | | 1,200.00 | | 120.00 | 20,000 | | 2,000 | | 1,000 | 6,000.00 22,000.00 2,550.00 | 1000. | 100 | | 4,000.00 11,000.00 1,000.00 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Salaries, Property, Etc. [continued]

| | sgr | In Chapel | 120 110 125 125 125 125 120 120 120 120 120 120 120 120 120 120 | |
|------------|----------|---------------------|--|---|
| | Sittings | ən I | | : |
| | | .oN latoT | | : : |
| | | Total Value Land | 2,500.00 18,000.00 18,000.00 18,000.00 10,000.00 10,000.00 10,000.00 10,000.00 | 70 000 |
| [non] | | ЬпеД | 8 8000 | 30,0 3,0 32,0 |
| רטוונוומכן | | Parish House | 3,000 2,500 1,500 | 8,000 |
| 7 | | Rectory | 3,000 2,500 2,500 | 4,000 |
| 1 | | LegsHO | | 1,500 |
| というとこと | | Church | | 6,000 |
| המוניה | | Debts | 2,000.00 | 1,500.00 2,000.00 1,900.00 |
| | | Invested Funds | 195.00 4,000.00 1,250.00 | 3,874.60 |
| | | Endowment | 21,500.00 10,000.00 2,000.00 2,200.00 5,208.10 | 2,000.00 |
| | ies | Curate's or Vicar's | 1,000 | |
| | Salaries | Rector's | 1,000 1,000 1,000 1,200 1,200 1,200 1,200 1,200 | 1,800 |
| | | PARISH | Hinsdale Holley Honeoye Falls Honnt's Irving Jamestovn Kemore Lackawana Lancaster Lewiston Little Valley Little Valley Corkport Good Shepherd Grace Grace Lyons Manchester Mayville Middleport Middlep | Niagara Falls: Epiphany. Redeemer. St. Ambrose's. St. Peter's. North Tonawanda. |

| Oakfield | 400 | : | 1,700.00[| | | 5,000 | - | • | - <u>:</u> :: | : | 6,500.00] | 175 | 175 | : | 5,500.00 |
|------------------|---|-------------------------|---|---------------------------|---|---|---------------|----------------|------------------|---|------------------------------|----------|------------|-------|---|
| Olean | 1,500 | • • | | | 550.00 | 25,000 | | 2,000 | | 15,500 | 49,500.00 | .366. | :: | 75 | 18,900.00 |
| Palmyra | 1,200 | · : : : : | 10,000.00 | | 1,200.00 | 0006,2 | | | 001,1 | | 53,000.00 | 4004 | 1001 | 75. | |
| Perry. | 156 | • • • | | | 408.00 | 3,000 | | • • | : : | | 3,000.00 | 165 | 165 | | 1,000.00 |
| Piffard | • | • • • | • | | • | | | | | | | | | | |
| Randolph | 1,200 | : : | 2,000.00 | | 400.00 | 4,000 | : : | 4,500 2,400 | 2,000 | 3,000 | 6,400.00 | 150 | 250 150 | : : | 14.900.00 $5.500.00$ |
| RipleyRochester: | : | : | : | : | | | : | : | : | : | | 24 | 24 | : | |
| Ascension | 1,400 | | | : | 1,100.00 | 6,000 | : | · : | | | 12,000.00 | 100 | 100 | : | 7,000.00 |
| Epiphany | 1,500 | | 10.000.00 | | 20,000.00 | 30,000 | | 7,000 | | | 42,000.00 | 420 | 420 | | 25,500.00 |
| St. George's. | 1,500 | : : | то, ооо, от | | 1,200.00 | 4,000 | | : | 2,000 | 4,000 | 10,000.00 | 120 | 120 | 70 | 3,000.00 |
| St. Luke's | 3,500 | 1,500 | 37,319.44 | | | 23,835 | : : | : : | 6,000 | | 38,000.00 | 360 | 360 | :: | |
| St. Paul's | 5,000 | 2,000 | 4,800.00 | 6,500.000 | | 175,000 | | 25.000 | 50.000 | 5.400 | 283.900.000 | 820 | 820 | • | 125,000.00 |
| St. Stephen's. | 1,200 | | | | 1,000.00 | 16,500 | | • | | 1,750 | 20,250.00 | 312 | 315 | | 1,500.00 |
| Trinity | 1 080 | | | 2,000.00 | • | 32,000 | • | 5,000 | 20,000 | T, 200 | 65,000.00 | 2000 | 200 | | 27,700.00 |
| Savona | 7,000 | | | | • • • | 4,000 | | • • | : : | 00e'T | 00.000,0 | 062 | | | 3,800.00 |
| Shortsville | 009 | : | 404 96 | | 1,300.00 | 10,000 | : | 3,000 | · : : : | : | 14,500.00 | 120 | 120 | : | 9,700.00 |
| Silver Creek. | 009 | : | | | 1,500.00 | 4,500 | | | | • | 5,957.00 | 100 | 100 | * * | 3,500.00 |
| Sodus | | | | | | 1,500 | | | | 200 | 1,700.00 | 125 | 125 | | 1,000.00 |
| Sodus Center | | : : | | | | 3 000 | | • | 4 000 | | 00 000 2 | 1.50 | | : | 4 000 00 |
| South Phelps | | : | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Springville. | | | | | | 3,000 | | : : | : : | | 3,000.00 | 150 | 150 | : | 1,500.00 |
| Union Hill | : : | | | | : | : | : | : | : | : | : | : | : | : | • |
| Victor | | | | | | 1,500 | | | | | 1,500.00 | 100 | 1001 | | 1,000.00 |
| Watkins | • | | | | | 4,600 | | 0006,2 | | | 7,100.00 | 200 | 2002 | | 00.009.0 |
| Wayne | : | : | : | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Westfield | 840 | | 4,000.00 | 4,000.00 | 405.00 | 15,000 | | 3,000 | | | 23,000.00 | 255 | 255 | | 11,500.00 |
| Williamsville | | | | 433.69 | | | | | | | 00 008 | | | | • |
| Wolcott | : | : | | | | 3,000 | | | | | 3,000.00 | 120 | 120 | | 2,000.00 |
| Total | | 89,501 10,800 \$493,791 | .40 | \$131,552.79 \$148,009.81 | | \$1,898.239 \$112,500 \$195,300 \$407,550 | \$112,500 \$1 | 95,300 | 107,550 | 532,135 | \$3,321,799.38 24,082 17,863 | 24,082 1 | 7,863 | 1,725 | \$1,382,350.00 |

APPENDIX IV.

Assessments---1917=1918

PREPARED BY THE STANDING COMMITTEE

| | Current | | | Diocesan |
|---------------------|----------|--------------|------------|----------|
| | Expenses | Sustentation | Episcopate | Expense |
| Addison | 808.83 | 5.39 | 10.78 | 16.18 |
| Albion | 1,290.17 | 8.60 | 17.20 | 25.80 |
| Alden | | .50 | 1.00 | 1.50 |
| Alfred | 56.44 | .38 | .76 | 1.13 |
| Allen's Hill | | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3.00 |
| Allentown | | 2.00 | 4.00 | 6.00 |
| Angelica | 325.68 | 2.17 | 4.34 | 6.52 |
| Angola | 137.30 | .92 | 1.84 | 2.75 |
| Attica | 238.03 | 1.59 | 3.18 | 4.76 |
| Avoca | | .50 | 1.00 | 1.50 |
| Avon | 1,474.00 | 9.83 | 19.66 | 29.48 |
| Batavia | 3,508.79 | 23.39 | 46.78 | 70.17 |
| Bath | 2,076.15 | 13.84 | 27.68 | 41.52 |
| Belfast | 90.50 | .60 | 1.20 | 1.81 |
| Belmont | 482.34 | 3.23 | 6.46 | 9.65 |
| Belvidere | 92.54 | .62 | 1.24 | 1.85 |
| Blasdell | 142.00 | .95 | 1.90 | 2.84 |
| Bolivar | 25.00 | .17 | .33 | .50 |
| Bradford | 123.95 | .82 | 1.64 | 2.47 |
| Branchport | 205.74 | 1.37 | 2.74 | 4.11 |
| Brant | 136.00 | .91 | 1.81 | . 2.72 |
| Brockport | 999.00 | 6.66 | 13.32 | 19.98 |
| Brocton | | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3.00 |
| Buffalo—All Saints' | 2,132.72 | 14.22 | 28.44 | 42.65 |
| Ascension | 4,548.80 | 30.32 | 60.65 | 90.97 |
| Epiphany | | 3.00 | 6.00 | 9.00 |
| Good Shepherd | 4,642.42 | 30.94 | 61.88 | 92.83 |
| Grace | 4,204.49 | 28.03 | 56.06 | 84.09 |
| Holy Communion | | 7.56 | 15.13 | 22.69 |
| St. Andrew's | 1,570.84 | 10.47 | 20.95 | 31.41 |
| St. Clement's | 235.81 | 1.57 | 3.14 | 4.72 |
| St. James' | 2,323.55 | 15.49 | 30.98 | 46.47 |
| St. John's | 3,237.50 | 21.58 | 43.16 | 64.75 |
| St. Judes' | 1,027.19 | 6.85 | 13.70 | 20.54 |
| St. Luke's | | 17.40 | 34.81 | 52.21 |
| St. Mark's | 1,420.69 | 9.47 | 18.94 | 28.41 |
| | | | | |

| St. Mary's | 4,343.33 | 28.95 | 57.90 | 86.87 |
|-----------------|---|---------|--------|--------|
| St. Matthew's | • • • • • | 10.56 | 21.13 | 31.69 |
| St. Paul's | 16 ,063.3 7 | 107.09 | 214.18 | 321.26 |
| St. Peter's | 506.00 | 3.37 | 6.74 | 10.12 |
| St. Philip's | 847.30 | 5.65 | 11.30 | 16.95 |
| St. Simon's | 1,101.48 | 7.34 | 14.68 | 22.03 |
| St. Stephen's | 960.08 | 6.40 | 12.80 | 19.20 |
| St. Thomas' | | 10.24 | 20.47 | 30.71 |
| Trinity | 11,859.30 | 79.06 | 158.12 | 237.19 |
| Bushnells Basin | 15.00 | .10 | .20 | .30 |
| Caledonia | 345.31 | 2.30 | 4.61 | 6.91 |
| Canandaigua | 1,917.54 | 12.78 | 25.56 | 38.35 |
| Canaseraga | | 8.29 | 16.57 | 24.86 |
| Canisteo | | .50 | 1.00 | 1.50 |
| Catharine | 275.70 | 1.87 | 3.74 | 5.51 |
| Chautauqua | 108.19 | .72 | 1.44 | 2.16 |
| Clifton Springs | 568.43 | 3.79 | 7.58 | 11.37 |
| Clyde | 589.07 | 3.92 | 7.85 | 11.78 |
| Corfu | 56.87 | .38 | .76 | 1.14 |
| Corning | 5,974.75 | 39.83 | 79.66 | 119.49 |
| Cuba | 696.17 | 4.64 | 9,28 | 13.92 |
| Dansville | * * * * * * | 6.98 | 13.96 | 20.94 |
| Darien Center | 75.00 | .50 | 1.00 | 1.50 |
| Depew | 78.70 | .52 | 1.05 | 1.57 |
| Dresden | 27.00 | .18 | .36 | .54 |
| Dundee | | 1.76 | 3.52 | 5.28 |
| Dunkirk | | 17.46 | 34.91 | 52.37 |
| East Aurora | 1,334.56 | 8,87 | 17.75 | 26.69 |
| East Bloomfield | ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,, | 2.50 | 5.00 | 7.50 |
| East Randolph | 3,45 | .02 | .05 | .07 |
| East Rochester | 63.00 | .42 | .84 | 1.26 |
| Ellicottville | 492.54 | 3.28 | 6.56 | 9.85 |
| Fairport | 102.01 | .75 | 1.50 | 2.25 |
| Forestville | 75.13 | .50 | 1.00 | 1.50 |
| Franklinville | 25.00 | .17 | .33 | .50 |
| Fredonia | 29.00 | 10.80 | 21.60 | 32.40 |
| Friendship | 89.36 | .59 | 1.18 | 1.79 |
| * | | 16.66 | 33.32 | 49.98 |
| Geneseo | | .50 | 1.00 | 1.50 |
| | | 23,66 | 47.32 | 70.98 |
| St. Peter's | • • • • • • | 29.10 | 58.20 | 87.30 |
| Trinity | #02 6 2 | 3.96 | 7.80 | 11.87 |
| Gowanda | 593.63 | 3.96 | 7.80 | 11.86 |
| Hamburg | 592.88 | | 21.34 | |
| Hammondsport | .1,600.43 | . 10.67 | 21.54 | 32.01 |

| Himrods | | .75 | 1.50 | 2.25 |
|-----------------------|----------------|-------|--------|-------|
| Hinsdale | | .25 | .50 | .75 |
| Holley | • • • • • | 5.00 | 10.00 | 15.00 |
| Honeoye Falls | | 5.38 | 10.76 | 16.14 |
| Hornell | • • • • • • | 19.52 | 39.04 | 58.56 |
| Hunts | 190.00 | 1.26 | 2.53 | 3.80 |
| Irving | 188.00 | 1.25 | 2.50 | 3.76 |
| Jamestown | 4,901.82 | 32.68 | 65.36 | 98.04 |
| Kenmore | 1,411.59 | 9.41 | 18.82 | 28.23 |
| Lackawanna | 29.55 | .19 | .39 | .59 |
| Lancaster | 1,374.17 | 9.16 | 18.32 | 27.48 |
| LeRoy | | 12.17 | 24.33 | 36.50 |
| Lewiston | | 2.50 | 5.00 | 7.50 |
| Little Valley | | .25 | .50 | .75 |
| Lockport—All Saints' | | 3.89 | 7.78 | 11.66 |
| Christ | 950.9 7 | 6.01 | 12.02 | 19.03 |
| Good Shepherd | | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3.00 |
| Grace | 4,405.98 | 29.37 | 58.74 | 88.12 |
| Lyons | 1,291.08 | 8.61 | 17.22 | 25.82 |
| Manchester | | .50 | 1.00 | 1.50 |
| Mayville | 203.11 | 1.35 | 2.70 | 4.06 |
| Medina | 1,763.29 | 11.75 | 23.50 | 35.26 |
| Middleport | 488.06 | 3.25 | 6.50 | 9.76 |
| Montour Falls | | 3.89 | 7.78 | 11.66 |
| Mt. Morris | 1,154.40 | 7.69 | 15.38 | 23.09 |
| Newark | | 11.08 | 22.16 | 33.24 |
| New Town | 42.83 | .29 | .58 | .86 |
| Niagara Falls— | | | | |
| Epiphany | 3,657.11 | 24.38 | 50.76 | 73.14 |
| Redeemer | 654.36 | 4.36 | 8.72 | 13.09 |
| St. Peter's | 2,771.09 | 18.47 | 36.95 | 55,42 |
| N. Tonawanda | 1,937.55 | 12.91 | 25.82 | 38.75 |
| Nunda | | .50 | 1.00 | 1.50 |
| Oakfield | 545.00 | 3.63 | 7.27 | 10.90 |
| Olean | 2,192.01 | 14.61 | 29.22 | 43.84 |
| Orchard Park | 684.38 | 4.56 | 9.12 | 13.69 |
| Palmyra | 1,734.09 | 11.56 | 23.12 | 34.68 |
| Penn Yan | 796.30 | 5.31 | 10.62 | 15.93 |
| Perry | 138.31 | .92 | 1.84 | 2.77 |
| Phelps | | 10.00 | 20.00 | 30.00 |
| Piffard | | .50 | • 1.00 | 1.50 |
| Pittsford | 1,397.39 | 9.31 | 18.63 | 27.95 |
| Randolph | 363.37 | 1.42 | 2.84 | 4.26 |
| Ripley | 22.40 | .15 | .30 | .45 |
| Rochester—Ascension . | 2,141.23 | 14.27 | 28.54 | 42.82 |
| | , . | • | | |

| Christ | 8,956.66 | 59.71 | 119.42 | 179.13 |
|----------------------|-------------------|-------|--------|--------|
| Epiphany | 1,612.12 | 10.74 | 21.48 | 32.24 |
| St. Andrew's | 4,487.29 | 29.91 | 59.82 | 89.74 |
| St. George's | 199.01 | 1.32 | 2.65 | 3.98 |
| St. James' | 2,600.17 | 17.33 | 34.67 | 52.00 |
| St. Luke's | 5,577.73 | 37.18 | 74.36 | 111.55 |
| St. Mark's | | 11.63 | 23.27 | 34.90 |
| St. Paul's | 11,715.88 | 78.10 | 156.21 | 234.32 |
| St. Stephen's | 1,611.79 | 10.74 | 21.48 | 32.23 |
| St. Thomas' | 667.36 | 4.45 | 8.90 | 13.35 |
| Trinity | 2,660.40 | 17.73 | 35.47 | 53.21 |
| Salamanca | 863.69 | 5.42 | 10.84 | 16.27 |
| Savona | | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3.00 |
| Scottsville | 835.92 | 5.57 | 11.15 | 16.72 |
| Shortsville | 206.00 | 1.37 | 2.74 | 4.12 |
| Silver Creek | 415.07 | 2.76 | 5.53 | 8.30 |
| Sinclairville | 35.00 | .23 | .46 | .70 |
| Sodus | | 8.32 | 16.64 | 24.96 |
| Sodus Center | | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3.00 |
| Sodus Point | 47.00 | .31 | .62 | .94 |
| South Phelps | | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3,00 |
| Spencerport | | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3.00 |
| Springville | 64.67 | .43 | .86 | 1.29 |
| Stafford | | 3.00 | 6.00 | 9.00 |
| Union Hill | | .10 | .20 | .30 |
| Victor | 153.72 | 1.02 | 2.04 | 3.07 |
| Warsaw | 148.88 | .99 | 1.98 | 2.98 |
| Watkins | | 8.03 | 16.06 | 24.09 |
| Wayne | te le lette le te | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3,00 |
| Wellsville | | 15.00 | 30.00 | 45.05 |
| Westfield | 941.93 | 6.28 | 12.56 | 18.84 |
| Wethersfield Springs | | .50 | 1.00 | . 1.50 |
| Williamsville | 35.50 | .23 | .47 | .71 |
| Wolcott | 9.00 | .06 | .12 | .18 |
| Youngstown | | 1.00 | | |
| 8 | | | | |

Sustentation, one per cent.

Support of the Episcopate, two per cent.

Diocesan expenses, three per cent.

Assessments on parishes not reporting are made on the basis of previous reports.

Assessments from May 1st, 1917, to Jan. 1st, 1918.

APPENDIX V.

Summary of Statistics

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| Clergy: | |
| Cicigy. | |
| Bishop | 0 |
| Priests (including Non-Parochial) | 123 |
| Deacons (including those without Cures) | 5 |
| Ordinations (Deacons, 5; Priests, 2) | 7 |
| , | |
| Congregations: | |
| Parishes, Missions, Chapels and Stations | 164 |
| Baptized Persons | 41,898 |
| Communicants | 32,236 |
| Baptisms (Infants, 818; Adults, 147) | 965 |
| Confirmed (See Bishop's Journal) | 1,505 |
| Marriages | 607 |
| Burials | 738 |
| Sunday School (Teachers, 1,029; Pupils, 9,458) | 10,487 |
| Bible Classes (Teachers, 49; Members, 1,600) | 1,649 |
| Disbursements: | |
| Salaries and Expenses | \$169,774.06 |
| Total Parochial (including Salaries and Expenses) | 317,282.42 |
| Diocesan Expenditures | 9,200.78 |
| Extra Diocesan Objects | 22,004.45 |
| Total for all purposes | \$365,050.31 |
| | • |
| funds and Properties: | |
| Endowments | \$493,791.40 |
| Invested Funds | 131,552.79 |
| Debt | 148,009.81 |
| Churches | 1,898,239.00 |
| Chapels | 112,500.00 |
| Land | 532,135.00 |
| Rectories | 195,300.00 |
| Parish Houses | 407,550.00 |
| | |

Financial Report is for 8 months-May 1, 1916 to Dec. 31, 1916.

Rules of Order

- I. On the first day of the Council there shall be brief devotions at 1:30 P. M. Immediately after the Council shall be organized according to the Diocesan canons and proceed to business in the following order:
 - (1) Calling of the roll.
 - (2) Election of a Secretary.
 - (3) Appointment of the following Standing Committees by the President:
 - 1 On the Constitution, Canons, and Rules of Order.
 - 2. On the Admission of Churches into Union with the Council; to consist of one Clergyman and two Laymen.
 - 3. On Finance, to which shall be referred the reports and accounts of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, of the Treasurer of the Diocese, and of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund; to consist of two Clergymen and three Laymen.
 - 4. On the Report of the Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate; to consist of three Laymen.
 - On the Reports of the Board of Education, and Board of Diocesan Missions; to consist of two Clergymen and one Layman.
 - 6. On the Report of the Trustees of DeVeaux College; to consist of one Clergyman and two Laymen.
 - On non-reporting Clergy and Parishes; to consist of three Clergymen.
 - 8. On the General Theological Seminary, and the Society for the Promotion of Religion and Learning in the State of New York; to consist of two Clergymen and one Layman.
 - 9. On Urgent and Unfinished Business.
 - 10. On Reports and Reporters.
 - 11. On Christian Unity.
 - 12. On Clergy Relief: to consist of three Clergymen and two Laymen.
 - 13. On the State of the Church: to consist of two Clergymen and one Layman.
 - 14. Social Service Commission: to consist of five Clergymen and five Laymen.
 - 15. On Credentials of Delegates: to consist of two Clergymen and one Layman, to serve from the close of the Current Council until the close of the next Annual Council.
 - On Missions, to consist of ten Clergymen and ten Laymen, including the Delegates to the Missionary Council, with the

right to add other Clergymen and Laymen of the Diocese to be named at the close of the Current Council, and to serve until the close of the next Annual Council.

- (4) Nomination for offices.
- (5) Presentation and reference of reports of Officers and Committees of the Diocese.
- II. The following Committees may be appointed at the discretion of the Bishop, at any time during the session of the Council, to consist of such members as the Bishop may direct:
 - (1) On Church Property, Parsonages and Clerical Support.

(2) Archives and Annals.

(3) The Supply of the Sacred Ministry.(4) Peneficence and Works of Piety.

(5) Sunday Schools.

(6) The Episconal Library.

(7) State Legislation.

III. All Committees shall sit and deliberate in private, and the same rule shall apply to Tellers in the count of votes.

No report referred to any Committee shall be reported back for printing unless so directed by a vote of the Council, or unless the Committee recommend some legislation in regard thereto.

- IV. Motions, Notices and Resolutions to be considered by the Council may be presented after the President has appointed the Standing Committees, and called for the matters to be respectively referred to them. But the Bishop's Address shall take precedence of all other business at any time.
- V. The Evening Session on the first day shall open at 7:30 with Evening Prayer or the Litany; then shall follow the Bishop's address, if he so desires.
- VI. On the second day,—after a celebration of the Holy Communion at an hour fixed by the Bishop,—the order of business shall be as follows, beginning at 9:00 A. M.:
 - (1) Reading of minutes.

(2) Elections.

(3) Reports of Standing Committees of the Council.

(4) Reports of Special Committees.

(5) Unfinished business, motions, resolutions and miscellaneous business.

The Council shall take a recess from 12:30 to 2:00 P. M., and from 6:00 to 7:30 P. M.

- VII. On the third or other subsequent day,—the order of business shall be as directed by the Council.
- VIII. Every member who shall be present when a question is stated from the Chair, shall vote thereon, unless excused by the House.
- IX. No motion shall be put or debated until it is seconded, and when seconded, it shall be stated by the President before debate; and every motion shall be reduced to writing, when required by the President, or by any member.

- X. If a question in debate contains distinct propositions, one or more, they may be separated at the call of any member into so many several motions.
- XI. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received, except (1) to lay the motion on the table, (2) to postpone it indefinitely, (3) to postpone it to a certain time, (4) to commit it, or (5) to amend; and motions for these purposes shall have precedence in the order thus named.
- XII. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, when no member is speaking, and shall be decided without debate; and if it be negatived, it shall not be renewed until other business has been treated in due order.
 - XIII. A motion to lay on the table shall be decided without debate.
- XIV. A question, being put by the President, shall be determined by the sound of voices; but any member may require a count of the vote; or previous to a decision by count, any three members may require the yeas and nays to be taken, which shall be done by calling the names of the Clerical members, and the names of the Churches and Missions represented; and the vote shall be recorded in the Journal. Or the yeas and nays may be taken by order on the call of any five members, and when so taken the vote shall be recorded in like manner.
- XV. No member except the mover may speak more than twice on the same question without leave of the House.
- XVI. A question once decided, shall not be reconsidered during the same session without the consent of two-thirds of the votes of the Council, nor without the motion for that purpose being made by one of the majority on said decision. No question shall be reconsidered more than once.
- XVII. Special Committees not otherwise provided for shall be appointed by the Chair.
- XVIII. Except by the votes of two-thirds of the persons present entitled to vote, no standing rule or order shall be suspended, changed or rescinded.
- XIX. Before the final adjournment of any session of the Council, the minutes of the last day's proceedings shall be read, corrected and approved
- XX. If the Bishop of the Diocese be not present, and able to preside; or the Episcopate be vacant; then, in the absence of the Secretary of the preceding Council, the Council shall be called to order by the President or Senior Presbyter of the Standing Committee present, who shall preside until the Council has been organized. Then a President pro tempore shall be elected from among the Presbyters present, who shall make the appointments ordinarily assigned to the Bishop, or under his direction.

NOTICE

At the September meeting of the Missionary Board of the Archdeaconry of Buffalo, Mr. J. W. Crafts, 312 Linwood Ave., Buffalo, was elected Treasurer. Contributions in the Archdeaconry of Buffalo for Diocesan Missions should be sent to him.

Memorial Resolutions

Adopted by the Diocesan Council, May 15, 1917

(Received too late for printing with the Minutes)

The members of the Annual Council of the Diocese of Western New York desire to express their sense of the deep loss which came to the Diocese when the Right Reverend William D. Walker, D. D., LL.D., D. C. L., was translated to higher work in the Higher Kingdom, when he departed out of this life, "in the firm undimmed belief" that he was changing but his sphere of labour and that in the newness of life his joy would be work for his dear Lord and Saviour.

During his Episcopate, during his entire ministry, he maintained inviolate the Creed of the Catholic Church, ever holding "the faith once for all delivered to the saints," deviating from the simple truth of the Gospel neither on the side of Mediaeval scholasticism nor on the side of Modern rationalism, and being truly a Bishop he was ever

a faithful witness.

The practice of the Ancient Church as embodied in the Angelican usage, set forth in our Prayer Book, established in this Diocese by Bishop Hobart and continued by Bishops DeLancey and Coxe, was dear to the heart of Bishop Walker. A man of fine presence, stately manners and movements, he delighted in the dignified ritual of the Protestant Episcopal Church and ever shunned, on the one hand Romanistic practices embodying superstitions, and on the other hand any lack of decency and order which might lead to irreverence in the House of God and obscure the teachings of the truth as it is in Jesus.

A man of means, he was without display either in his home or in his personal life; given to hospitality, delighting in unostentatious entertainment and in quiet converse with his clergy and laity, he devoted his means to good works throughout the Diocese and to that fatherly relief of disabled clergy and their families which was not

charity but an outflowing of love.

He was eminently the Bishop of this Diocese. Having a wide range of vision, a multitude of interests in both Church and State, he was the thoughtful, eloquent preacher, frequently invited to the pulpits of cathedrals and large city churches, yet he was particularly the Chief Pastor of the small rural parishes which he shepherded with that tender care which made us all speak of him as "Our Bishop."

Over the Councils of the Diocese he presided with impartiality, allowing every question to be debated thoroughly, ready to accept new ideas and to adopt new methods in Diocesan work, yet he had that deliberation which many times saved the Council and the Church from calamities and made Western New York a conservative and yet a progressive Diocese. His addresses were always scholarly, dealing with the most important questions of the day, setting forth fully the firm foundations upon which our Christian faith and life rust ever rest. For these and many other noble traits of individuality and manner of life characteristic of the good Bishop which was exemplified in William D. Walker, the late Bishop of Western New York, we sincerely thank God and pray that our late Beloved Bishop may enjoy the perpetual light of God's presence.

G. P. SOMMERVILLE, P. W. MOSHER, W. J. TULLY.

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All contributions to the Christmas Fund should be sent to E. C. Denton, Treasurer, 232 Powers Bldg., Rochester, N. Y. The corporate name of this Fund is "The Christmas Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York."

Contributions for the principal of the Episcopate Fund, (including offering taken on occasion of Bishop's visitation but not annual Diocesan Assessment for the Episcopate) may be sent to Mr. Daniel M. Beach, Treasurer, 15 Rochester Savings Bank Bldg., Rochester, N. Y., and will be properly acknowledged.

Contributions for Diocesan Missions in the Archdeaconry of Buffalo should be sent to Mr. W. H. D. Barr, Treasurer of the Archdeaconry, 1025 Fidelity Building, Buffalo. In the Archdeaconry of Rochester, to Mr. A. C. Walker, 21 State Street, Rochester.

All other contributions to the Diocesan and General Objects (including Diocesan assessment for the Episcopate) should be sent to Mr. Willard E. Moore, Treasurer of the Diocese, 39 State Street, Rochester, N. Y.

Resolved, That all Rectors of Parishes, and other persons, desirous to convey property to the Trustees of the Parochial Fund, be requested first to communicate with the officers of that Fund, in order that the deeds of the gifts may be so drawn as not to conflict with the Charter of that Corporation.

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I. Assessments:

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For amount of assessment upon each parish see last part of Journal.

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THE RT. REV. CHARLES HENRY BRENT, D. D.

PRIESTS.

[(B.) Archdeaconry of Buffalo. (R.) Archdeaconry of Rochester.]

The Revs.:

- Allison, Charles R., (R.), Rector, Trinity Church, Rochester, Monroe County. Residence, 45 Jones Ave.
- Ashley, A. Sprague, (R.), Rector, Christ Church, Hornell, Steuben County.
- Barrows, William S., (B.), Head Master, De Veaux College, Niagara Falls, Niagara County.
- Benford, W. H., (R.), Rector, St. John's Church, Sodus, St. Luke's Church, Sodus Center and Christ Church Sodus Point, Wayne County.
- Bennett, E. Robert, (B.), Rector, St. Phillip's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 47 Elm Street.
- Borton, John, (B.), Rector, St. Stephen's, Olean, Cattaraugus County.

 †Bouck, F. N., (R.), Rector, St. James' Church, Watkins, Schuyler County.
- †Bray, Kenneth A., (R.), Rector, St. Peter's, Geneva, Ontario County. Brittain, Alfred, (R.), Rector, St. James' Church, Batavia, Genesee County.
 - Broughton, Charles D., (B.), Rector, Ascension, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 24 Linwood Ave.
- Burge, Frederick W., (B.), Rector, St. Peter's Church, Westfield, Chautauqua County.
- Burleson, John K., D. D., (R.), Curate St. Paul's Church, and St. John's, Rochester, Monroe County. Residence, 96 Dartmouth St.
- †Burrill, E. P., (R.), Rector, St. Luke's Church, Brockport, Monroe County, and St. Paul's Church, Holley, Orleans County.
- Burrows, G. Sherman, (B.), Rector, S. Mark's Church, North Tonawanda, Niagara County.
- Clarke, T. B. (B.), Rector, Trinity Church, Hamburg, Erie County.
 Compton, W. C., (R.), Rector, Church of the Ascension, Rochester,
 Monroe County. Residence, 7 Burke Terrace.

tNot present at Council.

- Cooper, J. W. Denness, (R.), Rector, S. Michael's Church, Geneseo, Livingston County.
- †Cosbey, Edward, (B.), in charge of Church of the Advent, Kenmore, Erie County.
- Cosbey, James, (B.), Rector, Church of the Good Shepherd, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 96 Jewett Avenue.
- Cushing, Pierre, (R.), Rector, St. Mark's Church, Le Roy (P. O.), and Minister, St. Paul's Church, Stafford, Genesee County.
- †Davis, Cameron J., (B.), Rector, Trinity Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Office, 371 Delaware Ave.
- Davis, William L., (R.), Archdeacon. Residence, 42 Canfield Place, Rochester. Monroe County.
- de Mauriac, Henry de Wolfe, (B.), Rector, St. Matthias' Church, East Aurora, Erie County.
- Dowling, G. D., D.D., (R.), Rector, St. John's Church, Wellsville, Allegany County.
- Evans, Samuel, (B.), Rector, St. Thomas' Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 255 Elk St.
- Farland, Z. S., (R.), Rector, Christ Church, Corning, Steuben County. Feary, F. W., (R.), Rector, St. Mark's Church, Newark, Wayne County. Ferris, D. L., (R.), Rector, Christ Church, Rochester, Monroe County.
- Residence, 325 Park Ave.
- Fisher, Oliver M., (R.), Rector, St. Stephen's Church, Rochester, Monroe County. Residence, 195 Warwick Ave.
- Gairdner, James C., (R.), Rector, St. James' Church, Rochester, Monroe County. Residence, 20 Grant St.
- Gaviller, George H., (B.), Rector, All Saints' Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, Linwood Ave. and Ferry St.
- †Gaylord, Herbert L., Ph. D., (R.), Rector, St. John's Church, Canandaigua, Ontario County.
- Goodwin, Wm. A. R., D.D., (R.), Rector, St. Paul's Church, Rochester, Monroe County. Residence, 65 Barrington St.
- tGove Curtiss C., (R.), Rector, St. Michael's Church, and Head Master, Cary Collegiate School, Oakfield, Genesee County.
- †Hakes, Charles W., M. D., (R.), Rector, St. Peter's Memorial Church, Dansville, Livingston County.
- Herendeen, James H., (B.), Rector, St. John's Church, Honeoye Falls, Monroe County; and Minister-in-charge of St. Peter's Church, East Bloomfield.
- tHoffman, Paul B., (B.), Rector, St. Mark's Church, Penn Yan, Yates County.

[†]Not present at Council.

- Hubbs, John B., D. D., D. C. L., (R.), Chaplain, Hobart College, Geneva, Ontario County.
- †Idle, Harry, (R.), Curate, St. Luke's Church, Rochester. Residence, 154 Shelter St.
- †Irish, George M., (B.), Rector, Trinity Church, Lancaster, Erie County.

 Isherwood, Percy, (R.), Rector, St. John's Church, Mt. Morris, Livingston County; and Minister-in-charge Church of the Holy Apostles.

 Perry.
 - Jennings, W. W., (R.), Rector, Epiphany Church, Rochester, Monroe County. Residence, 131 Jefferson Ave.
 - Jessup, Charles A., D.D., (B.), Rector, St. Paul's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 61 Johnson Park.
 - Kates, Jerome, (B.), Rector, Zion Church, Palmyra, Wayne County.
 - Leach, D. L., (R.) Curate, St. Paul's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Office, 128 Pearl St.
- †Lee, F. C., (R.), Rector, St. Andrew's Church, Rochester, Monroe County. Residence, 68 Ashland St.
- Lewis, W. H. G., (R.), Rector, Christ Church, Lockport, Niagara County.
- Lord, Walter R., (B.), Rector, St. John's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 499 Ashland Avenue.
- †Lowe, Arthur F., (B.), Curate, St. Paul's, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 1336 West Ave.
- Lynds, H. Irvine, (B.), in charge All Saints' Church, Lockport. Residence, 7 Vine St. Niagara County.
- †Marchant, F. M., (B.), in charge St. Mark's, Orchard Park, (P. O.), and St. Peter's, Buffalo.
- Marvin, Hobart L., (R.), Rector, Church of the Redeemer, Addison, Steuben County.
- McCoy, W. S., (R.), in charge of St. George's Church, Charlotte, Monroe County.
- Mesier, Henry, (B.), Rector, Trinity Church, Fredonia, Chautauqua County.
- Mosher, Philip W., (B.), Rector, St. Peter's Church, Niagara Falls, Niagara County.
- Oaksford, John, (B.), Curate, St. Mary's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 417 Elk St.
- †Ottaway, George H., (R.), Rector, Grace Church, Lyons, Wayne County.
- Parsons, J. H., (R.), Trinity Church, Canaseraga, Allegany County.

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- †Perkins, John H., (R.), Penn Yan (P. O.), Rector, St. Luke's Church, Branchport, Yates County.
- Purdy, C. E., M. D., (R.), Rector, St. Thomas' Church, Bath, Steuben County.
- Raines, W. Guy, (R.), Rector, St. John's Church, Clifton Springs, Ontario.
- tRansom, Francis A., (B.), Rector, St. Stephen's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 1982 Bailey Ave.
- †Robbins, H. E., (B.), Rector, St. Mary's Church, Salamanca, Cattaraugus County.
- Sagar, John, (B.), in charge of Church of the Redeemer, Niagara Falls, Niagara County. Residence, 639 Thirteenth St.
- Salisbury, W. S., (B.), in charge of St. Clement's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 143 Durham Ave.
- Shaw, G. A., (B.), in charge Grace Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 173 Lafayette Ave.
- Sheppard, J. H., (B.), Rector, St. John's Church, Youngstown, (P. 0.) and St. Paul's Church, Lewiston, Niagara County.
- Sherwood, George F. J., (B.), Rector, St. Jude's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 126 Macamley St.
- Sherwood, W. T., (B.), Curate, Christ Church, Corning, Steuben County.
- Short, J. L., (B.), Rector, St. Luke's Church, Buffalo. Residence, 128 Richmond Ave.
- Sills, C. Morton, D. D., (R.), Rector, Trinity Church, Geneva, Ontario County.
- Sills, Edmund, (B.), Rector, St. John's Church, Dunkirk, Chautauqua County.
- Sloane, R. R., (B.), Curate, Trinity Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 371 Delaware Ave.
- Smith, Charles H., D.D., (B.), Rector, St. James' Church and the Holy Communion, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 30 Inter Park Ave.
- Sommerville, Grant P., D.D., (R.), Rector, St. James' Church, Hammondsport, Steuben County.
- †Sparks, C. B., (R.), Rector, St. John's Church, Medina, Orleans County. Stanton, Nathan W., (B.), Rector, St. Mark's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 401 Dearborn St.
- Stevens, Edwin J., (B.), Rector, St. Simon's Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 21 Glendhu Ave.
- Sykes, Arthur O., D. D., (R.), Chaplain, Industry, Monroe County. Residence, 290 Canterbury Road, Rochester. Rector, St. Thomas' Church, Rochester, Monroe County.

- Tyler, Samuel, (R.), Rector, St. Luke's Church, Rochester, Monroe County. Residence, 132 So. Fitzhugh St.
- Ward, John C., (B.), Rector, Grace Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 1141 West Ave., Buffalo.
- Weeks, D. H., (B.), Rector, Epiphany Church, Niagara Falls, Niagara County.
- Whedon, H. C., (R.), Rector, St. Mark's Church, Rochester, Monroe County. Residence, 467 Alexander St.
- Willcox, R. N., (B.), Rector, St. Luke's Church, Jamestown, Chautau-qua County.
- Williams, G. F., (B.), Rector, St. Mary's-on-the-Hill, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 86 Vermont St.
- Wilson, J. G., (B.), Rector, Christ Church, Cuba, Allegany County.
- Woodward, F. C., (R.), Rector, Grace Church, Scottsville, Monroe County.
- Zwicker, Henry F., (B.), Rector, Grace Church and All Saints' Chapel, Lockport; St. Andrew's, Olcott, and Good Shepherd, Brookside, Niagara County.

DEACONS.

- Brown, W. A., (R.), in charge of St. John's Church, Phelps, Ontario County.
- Nixon, W. E., (B.), in charge of St. Mary's Church, Gowanda, Cattaraugus County.
- †Warne, Richard, (B.), Curate, St. James' Church, Buffalo, Erie County. Residence, 470 Swan St.

OFFICIATING BY LICENSE.

- Adam, Samuel F., (R.), at St. John's Church, Clyde, Wayne County. Bissell, F. E., (R.), at Christ Church, Rochester, Monroe County. Residence, The Vassar, Park Ave.
- Delbridge, T. H., (B.), at Grace Church, Randolph, Cattaraugus County.
- McCausland, J. A., at St. Alban's, Silver Creek.
- Van Allen, H., Deaf Mute Missionary. Residence, 148 Grove Place, Utica, N. Y.

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†Angel, F. J.

Ashton, J. W., D.D., Olean, N. Y.

Babcock, E. J., Treasurer, De Veaux College. Residence, Lockport, N. Y.

†Ballard, George G., New York, N. Y. Residence, 120 West 103d St.

Beecher, Fred'k W., Graymont Heights, Birmingham, Ala.

Badger, Frank E. Residence, Waterville, N. Y.

Boynton, Chas. H., Ph. D., Professor General Theological Seminary. Residence, 129 Eagle St., Englewood, N. J.

Buisch, Louis, Lieut. U. S. Army.

†Bush, H. S., Ph.D.

†Clausen, Chas. J., Residence, Canandaigua, N. Y.

†Davies, Arthur, Residence, Rochester, N. Y.

†Dunham, F. S., Ph. D., Residence, Albion, N. Y.

†Easterbrook, F. E., Big Flats, N. Y.

Edson, E. H., 206 Wellington Ave., Rochester, N. Y.

†Goss, W. H., Rochester, N. Y.

†Harvey, G. A., North East, Pa.

†Johnston, M. S., Geneva, N. Y.

†Le Boutillier, Geo. T., Residence, Scottsville, N. Y.

†Marsden, Thomas F.

†Maughn, J. A.

North, Walter, L. H. D., 15 Bidwell Parkway, Buffalo, N. Y.

tNelson, Henry W., D. D., Rector, Emeritus, Trinity Church, Geneva, Ontario County. Residence, Marshfield Hills, Mass.

Porter, J. L., Professor, Villa Nova College, Pa.

Powell, L. P., LL.D., President Hobart College, Geneva, N. Y.

Rice, Francis F., Montour Falls, N. Y.

†Roy, James, LL. D., Canada. Residence, 28 Lorne Ave., Montreal, Quebec.

†Seibold, John S., Retired Chaplain, U. S. A., Residence, 569 Washington Ave., West Haven, Conn.

Shannon, T. J., Church Temperance Society, 214 Metropolitan Tower, Madison Ave., New York.

†Sherman, Addison M., Platteville, Wis.

†Tarrant, A. O., Ph. D., Philadelphia, Residence, 750 South 57th St.

Thomas, J. B., Professor at Sewanee, Tenn.

†Taylor, W. O., Ph. D., Rochester, N. Y., Residence, 39 Vick Park. †Not present at Council.

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List of Clergy

In Order of Canonical Residence and Year of Admission into the Diocese

PRIESTS.

| 1871. | .Francis Fenelon Rice (1863) | 1903. | .J. W. Denness Cooper. |
|--------|------------------------------|-------|------------------------------|
| 1873. | .Walter North, L. H. D. | | Joseph Abbott Maughn. |
| | Charles Henry Smith, D. D. | 1904. | .Charles Rogers Allison. |
| 1877. | .Henry W. Nelson, D. D. | | Louis Herman Buisch. |
| | John Schultz Seibold (1873) | | Fred William Burge. |
| | James William Ashton, D. D. | | Wi!liam H. G. Lewis. |
| 1000. | Francis Solomon Dunham, | | George Alexander Harvey |
| | Ph. D. | 1000. | (1894) |
| 1001 | George Thomas LeBoutillier. | 1907 | |
| 1001. | Pierre Cushing. | 1301 | Henry F. Zwicker. |
| 1000 | .Charles John Clausen. | | James B. Thomas, Ph. D. |
| 1000. | | 1000 | |
| 1007 | George Grey Ballard. | 1908. | . Herbert L. Gaylord, Ph. D. |
| | Addison Monroe Sherman. | | Arthur O. Sykes, D. D. |
| 1889. | .Charles Homer Boynton,Ph.D | • | W. Guy Raines. |
| | Evan Hartzell Martin. | | C. W. Hakes, M. D. |
| | Curtis Carlos Gove. | | J. H. Parsons. |
| | .George Sherman Burrows. | 1909. | Elijah H. Edson. |
| | .Frederick William Beecher. | | J. C. Gairdner. |
| 1894. | .George Herbert Gaviller. | | William A. R. Goodwin, D.D. |
| | James Roy, LL. D. | | Harry Idle. |
| | Alfred Brittain. | | George H. Ottoway. |
| | John Howard Perkins. | | Francis A. Ransom. |
| | Arthur Davies. | | Thomas J. Shannon. |
| 1895. | .Nathan William Stanton. | 1910. | .Richard D. Baldwin. |
| | Eugene Jeffrey Babcock. | | Harvey S. Bush, Ph. D. |
| | Frank Norwood Bouck. | | James Cosbey. |
| | Frank Evans Badger. | | Charles A. Jessup, D. D. |
| 1897. | .Cameron Josiah Davis. | | Malcolm S. Johnston. |
| | William Stanley Barrows. | 1911. | Francis J. Angel. |
| | James Hallett Herendeen. | | Charles D. Broughton. |
| | William Orville Taylor. | | D. L. Ferris. |
| | John Brewster Hubbs, D. D. | | William H. Goss (1902). |
| | D. C. L. | | Percy Isherwood. |
| | Philip Wheeler Mosher. | | Arthur F. Lowe. |
| | William Laurence Davis. | | C. E. Purdy, M. D. |
| 1898. | .Walter Russell Lord. | | C. B. Sparks. |
| | John Chamberlain Ward. | | G. F. Williams. |
| | John Leech Porter. | | A. O. Tarrant, Ph. D. |
| | George M. Irish. | | John Oaksford. |
| | Thomas F. Marsden. | | Grant P. Somerville, D. D. |
| 1901 | George F. J. Sherwood. | 1913 | W. H. Benford. |
| | Edwin J. Stevens. | 1010. | K. A. Bray. |
| 1902 | .C. Morton Sills, D. D. | | W. C. Compton. |
| TO A R | o. Morton Ollis, D. D. | | w. C. Compton. |

1914... Z. S. Farland. F. W. Feary. P. B. Hoffman. L. P. Powell, LL. D. J. L. Short. D. H. Weeks. Jerome V. Kates. H. E. Robbins. D. L. Leach.

W. T. Sherwood. 1915. F. W. Abbott. E. P. Burrill. G. T. Dowling, D.D. W. W. Jennings. F. C. Lee. W. S. McCoy.

1916..Edmund Bennett. John K. Burleson, D. D. Edmund Cosbey. Henry de Wolfe de Mauriac. Samuel Evans.

1916 ... F. M. Marchant. Edmund Sills, Rush R. Sloane. Samuel Tyler. J. G. Wilson. F. C. Woodard. John N. Borton. John Sagar.

W. S. Salisbury. 1917. Gilbert A. Shaw. H. L. Marvin. Joseph H. Sheppard. Reginald N. Willcox. Francis S. Woodward.

1918.. Thomas B. Clarke. Oliver M. Fisher. H. Irvine Lynds. John Anson McCausland. Adelbert McGinnis. Henry Mesier. H. Curtis Whedon.

DEACONS.

1882. Francis E. Easterbroke. 1917. W. E. Nixon. 1917..William A. Brown.

Richard Warne.

Lay Delegates in Attendance

Brant: Good Shepherd-T. H. Clough.

Buffalo:

All Saints'-

Ascension-J. W. Crafts, J. F. Adams.

Grace-H. P. Dow.

St. Andrew's-H. C. Curtiss, W. L. G. Coulter.

St. James'-Robert Morris.

St. John's-H. S. Madden, Chas. C. Bosche, C. Baldy.

St. Jude's-J. Morgan, Wm. T. Stewart.

St. Mark's-H. R. Hutt, James Kennedy.

St. Mary's-on-the-Hill-E. B. Stevens.

St. Paul's-Dr. M. D. Mann, J. H. Baker.

St. Philip's-O. C. Hall.

St. Simon's-E. C. Airey, G. Woelfle.

St. Thomas'-James Savage.

Trinity-De Lancey Rochester, M. D.

Corning: Christ-W. J. Tully, A. B. Houghton.

Cuba: Christ—F. H. Miller, M. D.

Dunkirk: St. John's—Geo. R. Nixon.

East Aurora: St. Matthias'-M. M. Ludlow, H. H. Richardson.

Fredonia: Trinity-Arthur R. Moore.

Geneseo: St. Michael's-Julian Gerard Buckley.

Geneva: Trinity-A. P. Rose.

Jamestown: St. Luke's—A. F. Fidler, Col. W. F. Endress, W. A. Broadhead.

Mt. Morris-St. John's-J. M. Prophet.

Niagara Falls: Epiphany-W. J. S. Drew.

North Tonawanda: St. Mark's-E. P. Lovejoy.

Olean: St. Stephen's-John Sloane.

Rochester:

Christ-Willard E. Moore, E. C. Denton, A. C. Walker.

St. Andrew's-J. L. Humphrey.

St. James'-G. Hoyt, W. R. Martlin.

St. Luke's-G. Morehouse.

St. Paul's-C. E. Mudge.

Scottsville: Grace -F. W. Dunn, S. S. Brown.

Parishes and Missions of the

Diocese of Western New York

In Respect to their Organization and Relationship to the Diocesan Council

Parishes in Union with the Council

| Place. | Name of Church. | Organized. | Admitted. |
|----------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------|
| AddisonCh | of the Redeemer | 1854 | 1854 |
| Albion | Christ | 1844 | 1844 |
| Allen's Hill | St. Paul's | 1813 | No record |
| Angelica | St. Paul's | 1827 | 1827 |
| Avon | Zion | 1792 & 1817 | No record |
| Batavia | St. James' | 1815 | 1816 |
| Bath | St. Thomas' | 1826 | 1826 |
| Belmont | St. Philip's | 1853 & 1858 | 1859 |
| Belvidere | · Christ | 1859 & 1897 | 1859 |
| Bradford | St. Andrew's | 1850 | 1850 |
| Branchport | St. Luke's | 1859 & 1866 | No record |
| Brockport | St. Luke's | 1838 | 1838 |
| Buffalo—All Saints'. | Dt. Lukes | 1879 & 1894 | 1879 |
| Ascension | | 1855 | 1855 |
| Good Shepherd | | 1888 | 1889 |
| Grace | | 1819 & 1828 | 1826 |
| St. Andrew's | | 1891 | 1891 |
| St. James' | | 1854 | 1855 |
| St. John's | | 1845 | 1845 |
| St. Jude's | | 1893 & 1902 | 1910 |
| St. Luke's | | 1857 & 1858 | 1857 |
| St. Mark's | | 1893 | 1893 |
| St. Mary's | | 1872 | 1872 |
| St. Matthew's | | 1884 & 1898 | 1899 |
| St. Paul's | | 1817 | 1817 |
| St. Philip's | | 1011 | 1868 |
| St. Simon's | | 1905 | 1913 |
| St. Stephen's | | 1898 | 1899 |
| St. Thomas' | | 1885 | 1885 |
| Trinity | | 1836 | 1837 |
| Canandaigua | St. John's | 1815 & 1816 | 1819 |
| Canaseraga | Trinity | 1857 | 1857 |
| Catherine | St. John's | 1809 & 1890 | 1810 |
| Centerfield | Trinity | 1832 | 1832 |
| Clifton Springs | St. John's | 1809 & 1874 | 1874 |

| Place. | Name of Church. | Organized, | Admitted. |
|-----------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Clyde | St. John's | 1840 & 1846 | 1840 |
| Corning | Christ | 1841 | 1841 |
| Cuba | Christ | 1852 | 1854 |
| Dansville | St. Peter's | 1831 | 1832 |
| Dresden | St. John's | 1866 | 1870 |
| Dunkirk | St. John's | 1850 | 1850 |
| East Aurora | St. Matthias' | 1869 | 1869 |
| East Bloomfield | St. Peter's | 1840 | 1840 |
| Ellicottville | St. John's | 1829 | 1830 |
| Fredonia | Trinity | 1822 | 1822 |
| Geneseo | St. Michael's | 1819 & 1823 | 1819 |
| Geneva | St. Peter's | 1867 | 1867 |
| donora recent | Trinity | 1806 | 1807 |
| Hammondsport | St. John's | 1820 & 1829 | 1830 |
| Holley | St. Paul's | 1894 | 1896 |
| Honeoye Falls | St. John's | 1840 & 1842 | 1840 |
| Hornell | Christ | 1854 | 1854 |
| Hunts | St. Mark's | 1825 & 1826 | 1826 |
| Jamestown | St. Luke's | 1834 | 1835 |
| Lancaster | Trinity | 1004 | 1884 |
| Le Roy | St. Mark's | 1817 | No record |
| Lewiston | St. Paul's | 1832 | 1835 |
| Lockport | Christ | 1831 & 1832 | 1833 |
| Luckpoit | Grace | 1835 | |
| Lyons | Grace | 1825 & 1838 | 1837 |
| Lyons | St. Paul's | | No record |
| Mayville | St. John's | 1823 | 1823 |
| Medina | Trinity | 1827 | 1828 |
| Middleport | | 1886 & 1906 | 1866 |
| Montour Falls | St. Paul's | 1856 | 1856 |
| Mt. Morris | St. John's | 1832 & 1833 | 1833 |
| Newark | St. Mark's | 1851 | 1851 |
| Niagara Falls | Epiphany | 1858 | 1858 |
| Month Monamonda | St. Peter's | 1846 | 1847 |
| North Tonawanda | St. Mark's | 1869 | 1869 |
| Nunda | Grace | 1847 | 1848 |
| Oakfield | St. Michael's | 1858 | 1858 |
| Olean | St. Stephen's | 1830 | No record |
| Palmyra | Zion | 1804 | No record |
| Penn Yan | St. Mark's | 1826 & 1837 | 1826 |
| Perry | Holy Apostles | & 1901 | 1870 |
| Phelps | St. John's | 1832 & 1834 | 1838 |
| Pittsford | Christ | 1846 & 1847 | 1847 |
| Randolph | Grace | 1859 | 1859 |
| Ascension | • | 1888 & 1892 | 1888 & 1908 |
| Christ | • | 1855 | 1855 |
| Epiphany | • • • | 1876 | 1876 |
| St. Andrew's | | 1879 | 1879 |
| St. James' | • % | 1876 | 1876 |
| St. Luke's | | 1817 | No record |
| St. Mark's | • | 1885 | 1890 |
| St. Paul's | (Admitted as Grace) | 1828 & 1833 | 1834 |
| St. Stephen's | | 1910 | 1911 |

| Place | Name of Church | Organized | Admitted · |
|----------------------|----------------|-------------|------------|
| St. Thomas' | | 1909 | 1909 |
| Trinity | | 1845 | 1846 |
| Salamanca | St. Mary's | 1865 | 1866 |
| Scottsville | Grace | 1885 | 1885 |
| Silver Creek | St. Alban's | 1904 | 1905 |
| Sodus | St. John's | 1825 | 1826 |
| Sodus Center | St. Luke's | 1875 | 1877 |
| Sodus Point | Christ | 1851 & 1861 | 1866 |
| Stafford | St. Paul's | 1838 & 1842 | 1842 |
| Warsaw | Trinity | 1852 | 1852 |
| Watkins | St. James' | 1830 | 1830 |
| Wayne | St. John's | 1850 | 1872 |
| Wellsville | St. John's | 1859 | 1859 |
| Westfield | St. Peter's | 1830 | 1830 |
| Wetherstield Springs | St. Clement's | 1826 | 1826 |
| Youngstown | St. John's | 1868 & 1897 | 1886 |

Parishes not in Union with Council

| Place. | Name. | Organized. |
|---------|-----------------------------|---------------------|
| Buffalo | St. Peter's St. Andrew's | 1872 & 1887 1893 |

Missions in Union with the Council

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| Place. | Name. | Organized. | Admitted. |
| Angola | St. Paul's | | 1916 |
| Blasdell | Incarnation | | 1916 |
| Bolivar | Our Saviour | | 1916 |
| Brant (Ind.) | Good Shepherd | | 1917 |
| Buffalo | Holy Communion | | 1918 |
| Caledonia | St. Andrew's | 1887 & 1893 | 1893 |
| Canisteo | St. John's | 1881 & 1896 | 1898 |
| Charlotte | St. George's | 1886 | 1896 |
| Corfu | St. Luke's | 1896 | 1896 |
| Darien Center | St. Paul's | | 1916 |
| Depew | St. Andrew's | 1906 | 1916 |
| Dundee | Grace | 1859 & 1899 | 1859 & 1901 |
| East Randolph | St. Paul's | 1896 | 1897 |
| Forestville | St. Peter's | 1836 | 1836 |
| Franklinville | St. Barnabas' | | 1895 |
| Gowanda | St. Mary's | | 1917 |
| Hamburg | Trinity | 1890 | 1893 |
| Himrods | St. Paul's | | 1906 |
| Hinsdale | St. Peter's | | 1871 |
| KenmoreC | hurch of the Adv | rent | 1915 |
| Lackawanna | Our Saviour | | 1916 |
| Orchard Park | St. Mark's | 1891 | 1893 |
| Savona | Good Shepherd | 1903 | 1903 |
| Sinclairville | All Saints' | | 1916 |
| Union Hill | Good Shepherd | | 1898 |
| Wolcott | St. Stephon's | | 1868 |

· Missions and Stations Not in Union with the Council

| Place. | Name. | Organized. |
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| Alden Alfred Allentown Attica Avoca Belfast Boardmansville Brocton Buffalo—Epiphany Holy Innocents | University Mission St. Luke's St. James' Grace | 1885 - 1894 |
| St. Clement's St. Mark's Chapel. Bushnell's Basin Chautauqua Despatch Echota | St. Peter's Good Shepherd | 1897 |
| Fairport | St. Luke's St. Andrew's St. Andrew's St. Peter's | 1860 & 1896 |
| Lockport Lockport Manchester Newtown Niagara Falls Niagara Falls | All Saints Good Shepherd St. John's The Redeemer St. Ambrose The Redeemer | |
| Olcott Piffard Ripley Shortsville Silver Springs South Phelps Spencerport | St. Andrew's Trinity Trinity St. Paul's | 1884 |
| Springville | | 1891 |
| Williamsville | * " | 1913 |

Note: Parishes and Missions not in union with the Council have no vote in the Council.

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St. Luke's Church, Jamestown, N. Y., May 21, 1918.

Tuesday, 1:30 P. M.

The Eighty-first Annual Council of the Diocese of Western New York convened at the above time and place in accordance with Constitutional requirement and the appointment of the Standing Committee acting as the Ecclesiastical Authority of the Diocese.

The President of the Standing Committee, the Rev. C. M. Sills, D. D., assisted by the Rector of the parish, the Rev. R. N. Willcox, led in brief devotions.

The Bishop of the Diocese, the Rt. Rev. Charles Henry Brent, D. D., being absent engaged in his war duties as Senior Headquarters Chaplain of the American Expeditionary Forces in France, the Secretary of the Council, acting under Title I, Canon X, Section V, of the Diocesan Canons, called the Council to order.

The Secretary announced that more than the canonical number of delegates of both Orders, entitled to seats and necessary to a quorum, had reported themselvs present. There were, in all, sixty-one clerical delegates, and fifty-four lay delegates representing thirty-three parishes and missions, in attendance upon the sessions of the Council. The Chancellor of the Diocese also was present.

The Council proceeded to the election of a Presiding Officer. The Rev. C. A. Jessup, D. D., being nominated, on motion unanimous consent was given to the Assistant Secretary's casting one ballot for the Rev. Dr. Jessup. The ballot having been announced, the Rev. Dr. Jessup was declared duly elected Presiding Officer of the Council.

The Presiding Officer declared the Council organized and ready for business.

On motion, the Assistant Secretary was authorized to cast one ballot for the Rev. G. S. Burrows, to be Secretary of the Council. The ballot having been announced, the Rev. G. S. Burrows was declared duly elected.

The Secretary nominated the Rev. C. H. Smith, D. D., to be Assistant Secretary, which nomination, on motion, was confirmed by the Council.

The Presiding Officer appointed the following Standing Committees:

On Constitution and Canons: The Rev. James W. Ashton, D. D., the Rev. Pierre Cushing, the Rev. G. M. Irish, the Rev. G. F. J. Sherwood, the Chancellor and D. M. Beach.

On the Admission of Churches: The Rev. C. M. Sills, D. D., Messrs. H. J. Burkhart, D. D. S., and Julian G. Buckley.

On Finance: The Rev. P. W. Mosher, Messrs. A. D. McLeod, F. W. Crandall, W. A. Williams.

On Report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund: Messrs. T. G. Moulson, D. M. Darrin, R. C. Kates.

On Reports of Board of Education and Missionary Boards: The Rev. E. H. Martin, the Rev. J. H. Herendeen, Mr. C. Van Valkenburg.

On Report of the Trustees of De Veaux College: The Rev. N.W. Stanton, Messrs. E. C. Denton, J. M. Prophet.

On Non-reporting Clergy and Parishes: The Rev. J. B. Hubbs, D. D., the Rev. Alfred Brittain.

On the General Theological Seminary: The Rev. G. M. Irish, the Rev. W. S. Barrows, Mr. W. H. Richmond.

On Urgent and Unfinished Business: The Rev. W. H. G. Lewis, E. H. Boynton.

On Reports and Reporters: The Rev. C. C. Gove, the Rev. H. L. Gaylord, Ph. D.

On Christian Unity: The Rev. W. L. Davis, the Rev. C. D. Broughton.

On Clergy Relief: The Rev. C. J. Davis, the Rev. D. L. Ferris, the Rev. G. S. Burrows, Messrs. Granger A. Hollister, William Y. Warren.

On the State of the Church: The Rev. C. H. Smith, D. D., the Rev. E. J. Stevens, Mr. de Lancey Rankine.

On Credentials: The Rev. W. North, L. H. D., Messrs. Daniel M. Beach, H. J. Burkhart, D. D. S.

On Missions: The Rev. P. W. Mosher, the Rev. J. C. Ward, the Rev. C. H. Smith, D. D., the Rev. J. W. Ashton, D. D., the Rev. C. J. Davis, the Rev. N. W. Stanton, the Rev. Walter North, L. H. D., the Rev. G. S. Burrows, Messrs. W. H. Stradella, J. K. Walker, C. R. Wilson, W. P. Northrup, the Chancellor, M. D. Mann, M. D., Benjamin Kittenger.

On Archives and Annals: The Rev. G. F. J. Sherwood, J. W. Crafts.

On State Legislation: The Hon. George A. Davis, C. R. Wilson, Lansing G. Hoskins.

Nominations for offices were made as follows:

For Treasurer: W. E. Moore.

For the Standing Committee: The Revs. C. A. Jessup, D. D., C. M. Sills, D. D., D. L. Ferris, W. A. R. Goodwin, D. D., C. J. Davis, W. North, L. H. D., G. F. Williams, and Messrs. F. W. Crandall, A. C. Walker, J. W. Crafts, W. H. Walker, S. S. Brown, M. D. Mann, M. D.

The Rev. D. L. Ferris declined nomination.

For the Financial Board: The Revs. C. H. Smith, D. D., H. F. Zwicker, and Messrs. A. B. Houghton, L. G. Hoskins, E. G. Miner, H. Converse.

For the Board of Religious Education (for three years): The Revs. G. M. Irish, J. W. D. Cooper, G. F. J. Sherwood, P. W. Mosher who declined nomination, and Messrs. F. H. Sibley, E. H. Boynton, H. C. Curtiss. (For one year): The Revs. J. L. Short, P. W. Mosher.

For the Sustentation Fund: The Rev. H. F. Zwicker, Mr. W. H. Simmons.

For Committee on Church Pension Fund: The Revs. G. S. Burrows, W. North, L. H. D., and Messrs. E. C. Denton, G. T. Ballachey, J. G. Dudley, J. G. Buckley.

For Social Service Commission: The Revs. S. Tyler, C. D. Broughton, G. F. Williams, A. O. Sykes, D. D., R. Sloane, R. N. Willcox, D. H. Weeks and Messrs. H. C. Curtiss, H. S. Madden, de L. Rankine, W. S. Endress.

For Deputies to Provincial Synod: The Revs. C. D. Broughton, P. Cushing, C. A. Jessup, D. D., G. M. Irish, G. S. Burrows, P. W. Mosher, J. W. D. Cooper, E. J. Stevens, H. F. Zwicker, Messrs. M. D. Mann, M. D., W. J. Tully, A. B. Houghton, W. A. Broadhead, J. M. Prophet, J. G. Buckley.

For Representative on Provincial Commission on Religious Education: The Rev. J. W. D. Cooper.

For Trustee of Christmas Fund: E. C. Denton.

For Trustees of Parochial Fund (for three years): A. F. Fidler, T. H. Chew, M. M. Ludlow. (For two years): Fitzhugh McGrew.

For Trustees of De Veaux School: The Revs. P. W. Mosher, D. L. Ferris, J. L. Short, D. H. Weeks, Messrs. de L. Rankine, H. P. Bissell.

To complete term of the Rt. Rev. W. D. Walker, D. D., deceased, the Rt. Rev. C. H. Brent, D. D.

To complete term of Porter Norton, deceased, Francis Baker.

To complete term of the Rev. E. J. Babcock, resigned, Wallace I. Keep.

A motion that the Secretary be instructed to indicate on the ballots, by asterisk, those who are already holding the positions for which they are nominated was lost.

The Secretary of the Council presented the printed reports of various boards and institutions, as contained in pamphlet in the hands of the members, and, on motion, they were referred to the proper Standing Committees.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Sills, the Rt. Rev. Frederick Courtney, D. D., was accorded the courtesy of a seat by the Presiding Officer of the Council; and was escorted by the President and the Secretary of the Standing Committee to a seat in the chancel of the Church.

The chair recognized the Rev. Dr. North, who presented a supplementary report of the Standing Committee, which, on motion, was adopted.

A further supplementary report of the Standing Committee, requesting the Wardens and Vestrymen of all parishes within the Diocese to take such formal action as may be necessary, either by directly increasing the Rector's salary or by means of special parish subscriptions, to add twenty per cent. to the sum of all present clerical salaries, was presented by Mr. J. W. Crafts and, on motion, it, with its resolution, was adopted.

On motion of the Rev. G. F. J. Sherwood, the Rev. John Anson McCausland, Silver Creek, was accorded the courtesy of a seat as a guest of the Council.

On motion of Mr. W. J. Tully, the Council resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

After deliberations of some length, the Committee of the Whole rose and reported to the Council that it had had under consideration the following communications from the Bishop of the Diocese:

G. H. Q., A. E. F. 20 April, 1918

The Rev. Walter North, L. H. D.,
Secretary of the Standing Committee,
Diocese of Western New York,
Buffalo. N. Y.

Dear Dr. North:

As time goes on and the illumination of experience reveals the situation in clear outline, I am driven to the conclusion that I must set the Diocese of Western New York free to secure at once that Episcopal oversight which it is my duty to provide. Although when I accepted election I foresaw absence running into several months and, of course, the possible or even probable contingency of death, I did not dream of this imperative demand in the A. E. F. that will probably hold me for the duration of the War.

As I told the Standing Committee on that memorable day when they dealt with my hesitation by magnanimously giving me unrestricted freedom of movement, the emergency of the country and of the world has first claim over my life, for what it may be worth. I am still of the same mind. The War demands the sacrifice of everything. If it is the most critical fact of history then all that a man is or has must be contributed, either directly or indirectly, to the cause. Though I am not conscious either now or at any time of making or of having made, a sacrifice worthy the name, in proposing to you the severing of a tie that is hardly begun, I do violence to my heart's yearnings. Diocese of Western New York, for obvious reasons, is the only Diocese in the Church capable of an appeal strong enough to detach me from old associations and responsibilities. I had visions of rendering the last and best service of my life where I took my first faltering steps. But my judgment erred. In view of the uncertainties of these clouded times I should not have surrendered to your magnanimity. The truest reparation I can make is to put you in a position to pursue the normal course of Diocesan life at the earliest possible moment. There are three ways in which this can be done, either by my resignation, or by the election of a Coadjutor Bishop, or by the election of a Suffragan Bishop. I cannot consider the continuation of the existing arrangement, although your long-suffering encourages it. The Diocese must have permanent and regular oversight without delay.—oversight for which even the kind offices of brethren in the Episcopate cannot be a substitute. The election of a Suffragan I should also eliminate as involving complications that are undesirable. My distinct preference is that my resignation should be presented and accepted by the Diocese and the House of Bishops. This letter is, and may be acted upon as, my resignation as Bishop of Western New York for the reason that I am not fulfilling the responsibilities of the office and there is no prospect of my being able to do so within a reasonable period. As there are Canonical complications in this course, it may prove easier and wiser to ask permission for the election of a Coadjutor. The size of the Diocese, added to my absence, would constitute sufficient Canonical grounds for the request. The Canons do not contemplate any such emergency as the present crisis involves.

In case a Coadjutor were elected I would give him complete jurisdiction during my absence on the full salary of the Bishop as now provided by the Diocese, and the Eastern half of the Diocese according to lines agreed upon by the Ecclesiastical Authority with half the salary, if or when I should return. If the proposition of resignation for any reason seems impossible

or difficult this letter is, and may be acted upon as, a request for the election of a Coadjutor.

There is nothing more that I can trust myself to add. The task which lies immediately before me is in behalf of the whole Church of God and so for you. It is my duty, desire and purpose to put into its performance my whole life and undistracted attention.

I am sending a copy of this letter to the Presiding Bishop and to the Chairman of our War Commission.

Yours very faithfully,
(Signed) Charles Henry Brent,
Bishop of Western New York.

G. H. Q., A. E. F. 20 April, 1918.

The Rev. Walter North, L. H. D.,
Secretary of the Standing Committee,
Diocese of Western New York,
Buffalo, N. Y.

Dear Dr. North:

In a former letter I suggested that my salary during my absence constitute a fund for missionary purposes, after expenses incurred for Episcopal oversight in the Diocese had been deducted. I proposed that you should deposit the money in the Old Colony Trust Company from month to month. In view of the new turn of affairs, I am herewith enclosing a blank cheque for the Treasurer to draw all that has been deposited up to date for distribution as the Ecclesiastical Authority may decide. From now on you will make no further deposits.

Yours very faithfully,

(Signed) C. H. Brent.

The Committee of the Whole further reported a memorial and resolution, presented by Mr. W. J. Tully; and recommended their adoption. On motion, they were adopted unanimously. They are as follows:

The Bishop of the Diocese of Western New York has been appointed by the Secretary of War as Senior Chaplain of the United States Army in France—the most responsible position ever held by any clergyman in connection with the Army of the United States of America. His pre-eminent fitness for this very great distinction is everywhere conceded, not only because of his high character and great ability, but also on account of his past experience in connection with the Army and the Government of the United States. During the fifteen years of his residence in the Philippines, from 1902 to 1917, he was constantly in touch with the officers and men of the United States Army, and with every individual clothed with official responsibility in the administration of the civil affairs of the Islands. Moreover, his personal relations with General Pershing, Commander-in-Chief of the American Expeditionary Force, are known to be exceedingly personal and intimate.

We are most emphatic in our belief that the United States and its Allies are waging a righteous war, a war upon which we ask God's blessing without hesitation, and which we are sure that Christ our Lord approves. In this practically world-wide war, a war of nations and peoples, and not merely a war of armies, we are all, every one of us, called upon to give our best. The best that the Diocese of Western New York can give is our Bishop. We are, as we should be, proud beyond words to give him for this service. As he himself has recently said: "We must give until we have nothing left to give, and if one dies in the giving, that is of no account."

We must act in the same spirit that actuates him if we are to be in any sense worthy of having him as our Bishop. If he lives, and we pray God that he may be spared, we shall be unspeakably proud when he returns to us to assume his duties as the head of our Diocese. If he dies, and he well knows that this is within the range of possibility, we want him to die as Bishop of Western New York, as well as Senior Chaplain of the United States Army in France.

Therefore, be it

Resolved, That we record our deep appreciation of the privilege that is ours of giving our great Bishop for this great work; that we heartily endorse the action of the Standing Committee in granting unto him indefinite leave of absence; that in the judgment of this Council the relation existing between Bishop Brent and ourselves is one which only death can sever; and that we extend to him the assurance of our personal affection and complete approval of his acceptance of the high office conferred upon him by our Government, and we ask the prayers of the people of our Diocese, for his overwhelming success in the discharge of the duties as Senior Chaplain, and his safe return to this Diocese at the end of the war.

On motion the Secretary of the Council was instructed to give publication to the memorial and resolution, just adopted, in the public press and in the Church papers.

On motion, the consideration of the propositions contained in Bishop Brent's communications were made the special order of the day after the completion of the first ballot tomorrow.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Goodwin, the following resolutions, presented in the supplementary report of the Standing Committee, were adopted:

Resolved, That the assessment for and under the item of Diocesan Expenses, payment of which is essential to representation in the Council, shall be made upon the basis of a budget from which shall be excluded assessments for the General Board of Religious Education and the Commission for Social Service.

Resolved, That these additional items be apportioned among the parishes as an Extra-Diocesan Expense.

The Secretary presented a request of the Deaf-Mute Missionary for increased financial support; which, on motion, was referred to the Financial Board.

The Rev. Mr. Mosher presented the report of the De Lancey Divinity School, which, on motion, was received and ordered printed in the Journal.

The Rev. Dr. Goodwin presented the following report which, on motion, was adopted:

The Special Committee, appointed by the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Western New York to report to the Diocesan Council as to the advisability of merging the Christmas Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York with The Church Pension Fund, which appointment was communicated to the Council of the Diocese, in Buffalo, May 15 and 16, reported in the Diocesan Journal, page 74, having met in the city of Rochester, on the 23rd day of April, 1918, adopted the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That it is the sense of this committee that it seems advisable to recommend to the Council, at its next annual meeting, to take such action as may be necessary to merge the Christmas Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York, with The Church Pension Fund, provided that such merger shall provide for the meeting of all present and prospective obligations of the Christmas Fund; shall provide for the holding of all property, securities and money received by the Church Pension Fund from the Christmas Fund in a separate account in trust, the income thereof to be used, first, to reimburse the Church Pension Fund for all obligations of the Christmas Fund which the Church Pension Fund shall assume under the said merger, and, second, when the Church Pension Fund shall have been so reimbursed, then to pay the pension assessments on behalf of the clergymen canonically resident in the Diocese of Western New York; and shall provide for the safeguarding of the interests of the Diocese: and

RESOLVED, That Mr. Eugene C. Denton be and he is hereby requested by this committee to ascertain and present to the next Annual Council of the Diocese the exact terms under which such merger may be made; and also to prepare a resolution to be presented to the Council by and under which such merger may be authorized and legally consummated.

W. A. R. GOODWIN, ALBERT C. WALKER, EUGENE C. DENTON. Mr. E. C. Denton, speaking on the report just received, proposed the following resolutions which, on motion, were adopted: a motion to lay on the table having been lost.

WHEREAS, The Christmas Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York finds its income from the Christmas offerings taken in the parishes, pursuant to Canon II, greatly reduced because of the assessments required from the parishes for the Church Pension Fund, so that said Christmas Fund will not long be able to pay the customary stipends to its beneficiaries; and

WHEREAS, The Trustees of the Church Pension Fund are willing that said Christmas Fund shall be consolidated with the Church Pension Fund under laws for that purpose made and provided;

RESOLVED, That this Council hereby authorizes, empowers and directs the said Christmas Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York, to take all necessary steps for the consolidation of said Christmas Fund with the Church Pension Fund, in virtue of the powers conferred in Chapter 239 of the Laws of 1915, entitled, "An act to authorize the consolidation of the corporations, The Church Pension Fund and General Clergy Relief Fund and to authorize consolidation with other corporations and associations of similar objects and purposes," upon the following terms and conditions of the consolidation and the following mode of carrying the same into effect:

- 1. All the property, of every species, real, personal and mixed, and things in action, of the said Christmas Fund subject to all its obligations or liabilities of every description, shall be assigned and transferred to The Church Pension Fund.
- 2. The Church Pension Fund shall assume and agree to continue to pay, at the rates and amounts during the periods customary at the date of such agreement, subject to the existing regulations or established customs of the said Christmas Fund all the annual allowances which heretofore have been granted by the said Christmas Fund to aged and infirm clergymen, or to the widows or children of deceased clergymen; and to assume and pay all other obligations or liabilities, if any there be, of every description which may have been assumed or incurred by the said Christmas Fund.
- 3. The Church Pension Fund shall agree that subject to the proviso hereinafter mentioned it will grant and will pay allowances at the rates and amounts customary at the date of such agreement, and subject to the existing regulations or established customs of the said Christmas Fund:
- (a) To all Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church who were canonically resident in the Diocese of Western New York at the time of the Diocesan Council held in May, 1918, who have since become or shall become hereafter eligible under the existing regulations or established customs of the said Christmas Fund to receive allowances from the said Christmas Fund if such agreement had not been made.
- (b) To all persons who are or shall become widows or children of clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church, the latter being at the time aforesaid canonically resident in the Diocese of Western New York and who shall hereafter die leaving widows or children who are

or shall become eligible, under the existing regulations or established customs of the said Christmas Fund, to receive allowances from the said Christmas Fund if such agreement had not been made.

Provided.

- (c) That in all cases the clergymen referred to had not been eligible to have assessments paid on their behalf to the Church Pension Fund or to share in the benefit of the Accrued Liabilities Fund of the Church Pension Fund.
- 4. The property received by The Church Pension Fund from the said Christmas Fund, together with any accretions thereof, shall be held by The Church Pension Fund as a separate fund, distinct from all other funds or property, the securities and investments whereof, together with all reinvestments of said fund, shall be listed and described in a separate account designated as the Christmas Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York. The capital shall not be spent but shall be held intact. The income shall be applied:
- (a) To reimburse to The Church Pension Fund all expenditures for the relief of clergymen and of the widows and children of deceased clergymen, which expenditures shall have been expressly assumed pursuant to such agreement.
- (b) When The Church Pension Fund shall have been so reimbursed, to pay pension assessments which shall be imposed by The Church Pension Fund for the benefit of clergymen canonically resident in the Diocese of Western New York in accordance with such directions as from time to time shall be given by the Council of the Diocese, or, in the absence of such directions, in accordance with such regulations as from time to time shall be adopted by The Church Pension Fund.

RESOLVED, That the agreement of consolidation, containing the foregoing terms and conditions and such others as may seem to be advisable, when in a form approved by the said Church Pension Fund and the said Christmas Fund, shall be reported to the Council of this Diocese for its approval.

The Rev. T. J. Shannon, of the Church Temperance Society, having been granted the privilege of the floor, addressed the Council on certain temperance questions and bills now before the public. On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, It is increasingly plain that the prohibition of the traffic in alcoholic beverages is essential to adequate national self-summoning, the thorough effective use of our national equipment, and the proper husbanding of money, coal and food; and

Whereas, Though distilling has ceased, the sale of ardent liquors is not stopped and cannot be because of the conditions fixed by the law empowering the President to commandeer existing stocks of them; and

Whereas, Action by the President prohibiting the gross waste of food, coal, transportation facilities and money by closing the breweries would, as the laws now are, merely put drinkers on a whisky basis only; and

Whereas, The ratification of the proposed National Prohibition Amendment will not become effective till one year after its ratification;

Be it Resolved, By the Diocese of Western New York, that it urgently requests the prompt passage of House Bill No. 11710, known as the Barkley Bill, providing complete war-emergency prohibition for the duration of the war and the period of demobilization; and that it also calls upon the laity of the Church to work and vote for such Congressional and Legislative candidates only in the fall primaries and elections as shall commit themselves respectively to the enactment of national war-emergency prohibition by Congress at Washington and to ratification of the National Prohibition Amendment by the Legislature of the State of New York at Albany.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Purdy, a resolution providing for the payment of transportation expenses of delegates was referred to the Financial Board.

On motion of Mr. A. P. Rose, the chair was requested to appoint a committee of three members (which afterwards, by resolution of the Council was increased to five) to investigate and report as to certain properties bequeathed to the Diocese by the late Miss Carrie Mitchell, of Wayne, Steuben County. The chair appointed the following:

Committee on Mitchell Bequest: Judge Clarence Willis, Hon. S. S. Brown, A. P. Rose, the Rev. G. P. Sommerville, D. D., and John Cushing.

The Presiding Officer requested the Secretary of the Council to take the chair; and, on his doing so, presented certain resolutions respecting St. Stephen's College, Annandale, N. Y., which, on motion, were made the special order of the day tomorrow, after the consideration of the communications from Bishop Brent.

The Presiding Officer resumed the chair.

The Council adjourned until 8:00 P. M.

Tuesday Evening, 8:00 P. M.

Evening prayer was said by the Rector of the parish, assisted by the Rt. Rev. Frederick Courtney, D. D., and the Rev. Dr. Smith. The President of the Standing Committee read an address to the Council from Bishop Brent, the subject of which was "Making Democracy Safe for the World." The Rev. Dr. Goodwin addressed the Council on the missionary obligations and opportunities now before the Diocese.

Wednesday, 7:30 A. M.

The Holy Communion was celebrated, the Rt. Rev. Frederick Courtney, D. D., being the celebrant, assisted by the President and the Secretary of the Standing Committee, the Presiding Officer of the Council, and the Rector of the parish.

Wednesday, 9:00 A. M.

The Council met for business, the Rev. C. A. Jessup, D. D., Presiding Officer, in the chair.

The minutes of yesterday's proceedings were read and, on motion, adopted.

The Financial Board, reporting upon matters referred to it, recommended that certain compromises as to assessments proposed by the parishes at Fredonia and Canaseraga be accepted and that their delegates be admitted to seats in the Council when payment is made. On motion, the recommendation was adopted.

The Financial Board also reported that the resolution of the Rev. Dr. Purdy regarding the payment of transportation expenses of delegates should be referred to the Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons. On motion, it was so referred.

The Council proceeded to the election of officers.

The Presiding Officer appointed the following tellers:

Clerical Vote: The Rev. E. Sills, W. A. Broadhead.

Lay Vote: The Rev. W. C. Compton, J. L. Humphrey.

The vote being cast the ballot was declared closed.

On motion, the Rt. Rev. Frederick Courtney, D. D., was requested to address the Council; which he did, thanking the Council, and those represented by it, for the cordial reception accorded him by officials, parishes and people of the Diocese, and wishing the Çouncil God-speed in its work.

Referring to our absent Diocesan, the Bishop expressed the thought that this Diocese should thank God for him and the great work he is doing as Senior Headquarters Chaplain A. E. F., at the war front in France.

Speaking of world changes that are resulting from the present great conflict of nations, he appealed to the laity to give attention to Church doctrine and Church principles, and to take up the role of prophets, that, in effective co-

operation with the clergy, they may help devise that which will conduce to the advancement of God's Kingdom.

The Presiding Officer voiced the thanks of the Council for the address just heard, and expressed the gratification of the members in the fact that the Bishop could be with us at this particular time.

The Rev. Dr. Goodwin offered the following resolution, which, on motion, was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, The Rt. Rev. Charles Henry Brent, D. D., Bishop of the Diocese of Western New York, who is serving as Senior Chaplain of the American Expeditionary Force in France, has communicated through the Standing Committee to the Council of this Diocese his desire that a Bishop Coadjutor be elected for the Diocese of Western New York, and has designated in writing the duties which he will assign to the said Bishop Coadjutor, if elected; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Council of the Diocese of Western New York does hereby approve of the election of a Bishop Coadjutor for this Diocese, and requests the consent of the Bishops and several Standing Committees of the Dioceses to the election of a Bishop Coadjutor of this Diocese by reason of the extent of Diocesan work, whereby the Bishop is unable fully to discharge the duties of his office.

Judge Brown and Senator Tully joined in proposing the above resolution.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Goodwin, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That as soon as the necessary consents to the election of a Bishop Coadjutor shall have been received a Special Council of this Diocese be convened to elect a Bishop Coadjutor. Such Council to be called by the Standing Committee as early after the first of September as possible.

The Committee on the Division of the Diocese and the Re-allignment of Diocesan Lines reported progress and asked to be continued. On motion, its request was granted.

On motion of Mr. W. J. Tully, speaking on the Special Order of the Day, the following resolutions presented by the Rev. Dr. Jessup concerning St. Stephen's College, were adopted: they having been amended by the substitution in the third resolution of the words, seek to provide through its Extra-Diocesan Budget, for the words "provide by some other method." As amended and finally adopted the resolutions are:

Whereas, The Synod of the Second Province has appointed a Committee to appeal to the Dioceses for scholarships for St. Stephen's College, and

Whereas, The Committee has proposed for the consideration of the Synod a method by which each Diocese may be ultimately represented in the Board of Trustees of St. Stephen's College,

Resolved, First, that this Convention endorse the action of the Synod at its last annual meeting in New York City.

Second, that this Convention recommend to the Synod that St. Stephen's College be an official college of the Province,

Third, that this Convention appropriate or seek to provide through its Extra Diocesan Budget the sum of \$450 each year for four years, until the sum of \$1,800 annually is reached, thus maintaining one additional scholar each year until there are continually four scholars in residence at the College from this Diocese; that these scholars shall be preferably sons of Clergymen and that this arrangement shall begin in September, 1918.

The Rev. W. R. Lord reported for the War Service Commission of the Diocese. On motion, the report was received and ordered printed.

On motion of the Rev. W. H. G. Lewis, the War Service Commission was directed to ascertain from the General War Commission of the Church the names of such parishes and missions, if any, as have forwarded their contributions directly to headquarters; and to include them in the Diocesan list of parishes that have given to the War Commission Fund.

The Rev. Mr. Cooper presented the report of the Educational Secretary of the Diocese. On motion, it was received and ordered printed in the Journal.

The Rev. Dr. Sills offered the following, which, on motion, was received and its recommendations adopted:

The Standing Committee on the Admission of New Parishes respectfully report that they have examined the papers accompanying the application of the Church of the Holy Communion, Buffalo, for admission into union with the Church in the Diocese of Western New York, and have found them in conformity with the canons. The Committee therefore recommends the admission of the Church of the Holy Communion into union with the Church in this Diocese.

The Rev. Mr. Ferris presented the report of the Board of Religious Education. On motion, the report was received and ordered printed.

The Rev. Mr. Ferris also presented the following report, which, on motion, was received and its resolution adopted:

Resolved, That the Council receives with approval the report of the Committee on Colleges and Universities, of the Commission on Religious Education of the Province of New York and New Jersey; and further Resolved, That a committee of two to consist of the Rev. C. D. Broughton and the Rev. D. L. Ferris, be appointed to raise the fund of \$400.00 a year for five years.

The chair appointed the committee named in the resolution.

The Rev. Mr. Gaviller offered the following resolution which, on motion, was adopted:

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Council that the business sessions of the Diocesan Council should be held, where convenient, in some other room than the nave and chancel of a parish church.

On motion of the Rev. C. R. Allison the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That a committee consisting of three clergymen and three laymen, from each Archdeaconry, be appointed to co-operate with the Standing Committee in its endeavor to further the cause of Diocesan Missions, and also to stimulate interest in the effort to raise in full the apportionment for General Missions; and that the President of the Council be one of the committee.

The chair appointed the following:

Committee to Stimulate Diocesan and General Missions: The Revs. C. J. Davis, C. M. Sills, D. D., D. L. Ferris, Jerome Kates, H. F. Zwicker, C. A. Jessup, D. D., Messrs. E. G. Miner, J. G. Buckley, A. B. Houghton, J. W. Crafts, W. E. Townsend, M. D. Mann, M. D.

On motion, the Secretary of the Council was directed to send a message of greeting to the Rev. C. J. Davis and a wish for his speedy recovery. Also, a message of greeting to the Rev. J. C. Ward, the Rev. A. F. Lowe and Lieut. Harold Lowe, now on duty in France.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to cable Bishop Brent as follows:

Council sends affectionate greetings. Coadjutor will be elected.—Burrows, Sec.

On motion of the Rev. Mr. Lewis it was:

Resolved, That the appeal in the report of the Rev. Mr. Van Allen for an increase in stipend be favorably referred to the Mission Boards of the two Archdeaconries.

On motion, the chair was requested to appoint a committee to draw up resolutions of sympathy, on the death of the Rev. Dr. Berry. The chair appointed as such:

Committee on Resolutions of Condolence: The Revs. J. W. D. Cooper, A. S. Ashley, P. W. Mosher.

The chair added to tellers for the lay vote, Mr. H. S. Madden.

On motion, the Council adjourned to 2:00 P. M.

Wednesday, 2:00 P. M.

The Council met for business, the Rev. Dr. Jessup presiding.

The tellers made their report and the following were found and declared to be elected:

For Standing Committee: A. C. Walker, Hon. S. S. Brown, J. W. Crafts.

For Financial Board: The Revs. C. H. Smith, D. D., H. F. Zwicker, Messrs. E. G. Miner, H. Converse, A. B. Houghton, L. G. Hoskins.

For Board of Religious Education (for three years): E. H. Boynton, F. H. Sibley. (For one year): The Rev. J. L. Short.

For Committee on Sustentation: The Rev. H. F. Zwicker, W. H. Simmons.

For Committee on Church Pension Fund: The Revs. G. S. Burrows, W. North, L. H. D., Messrs. E. C. Denton, G. T. Ballachey, J. G. Buckley.

For Social Service Commission: The Rev. C. D. Broughton, Messrs. de L. Rankine, H. S. Madden, Col. W. F. Endress.

For Deputies to Provincial Synod: The Revs. C. A. Jessup, D. D., P. Cushing, Messrs. W. J. Tully, A. B. Houghton, J. M. Prophet.

For Representative on Provincial Commission on Religious Education: The Rev. J. W. D. Cooper.

For Trustee of Christmas Fund: E. C. Denton.

For Trustees of Parochial Fund (For three years): A. F. Fidler, T. H. Chew. (For two years): F. McGrew.

For Trustees of De Veaux School (for three years): The Rev. D. L. Ferris. (For two years): Francis Baker. (For one year): Rt. Rev. C. H. Brent, D. D., W. I. Keep.

The Council proceeded to ballot for offices not filled on the first ballot.

The chair appointed the Rev. J. K. Burleson, D. D., to serve as teller in the place of the Rev. Mr. Sills.

All having voted, the ballot was declared closed.

On motion of the Rev. C. D. Broughton it was:

Resolved, That this Council heartily complies with the recommendation of the President of the United States, that Memorial Day be observed as a special day of prayer and fasting for this nation and our allies; and that the clergy be urged to observe this day accordingly.

On motion of the Rev. Mr. Cushing, chairman of the Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons, it was

resolved that Title I, Canon 14, Sec. I, (pg. 35), of the canons of the Diocese, be amended by substituting, at the end, for the words "and it shall be the duty of every parish to make provision for the expenses of its clergymen in attending the Council," the words and the transportation expenses of all Clerical members of the Council shall be a charge upon the Diocesan Expense Fund. The concurrent vote was:

Clerical: Ayes, 24; Nays, 5. Lay: Ayes, 9; Nays, 5.

The Rev. Dr. North, for the Standing Committee, reported the following Budget which, on motion, was adopted:

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The Headmaster of De Veaux School addressed the Council on matters pertaining to the School.

The Standing Committee on Report of the Trustees of De Veaux School reported as follows:

To the Council of the Diocese of Western New York:

The Committee to which was referred the Annual Report of the Trustees of De Veaux School, etc., desire to report that they have examined the same and find it in due form and correct.

NATHAN W. STANTON, JOHN M. PROPHET, EUGENE C. DENTON.

The Standing Committee on Board of Religious Education and Missionary Boards reported that:

The Committee recommends that the reports of the Secretary of the Board of Religious Education, and the reports of the two Archdeacons, and the report of the Missionary to Deaf Mutes, be printed.

> EVAN H. MARTIN, J. H. HERENDEEN.

The committee appointed to draft a memorial on the death of the Rev. Dr. Berry reported the following:

We, the Clergy and Laity of the Diocese of Western New York, in Council assembled, conscious of the great loss which the Church has sustained in the death of the Rev. Thomas B. Berry, S. T. D., late Warden of the De Lancey Divinity School, desire to express and put on record our most earnest appreciation of the valued services rendered by him as Warden of the School, and, for many years, a Presbyter of this Diocese.

We would also extend through the Secretary of this Council, our deep sympathy with the members of the family of our brother in the Lord.

The Council also expressed sympathy for the family of the late Archdeacon Ayres.

The Rev. G. W. S. Ayres, for many years Archdeacon of Buffalo, and nearly all his ministry an active and earnest priest of the Diocese, was ever held in high esteem by his Bishop and his fellow-clergy, and the lay people among whom he wrought. Untiring and uncomplaining in his devotion to the work committed to him, laborious and difficult though it might be; loyal and loving toward the Church and the cause which she represents; his life is an example of Christian consecration and faithfulness, of Christian energy and zeal. He wrought well here. We have faith he will be rewarded well above.

Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved, in whose loss the Diocese bears its large share.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Goodwin, further action on the proposed amendment to Title I, Canon 2, Section VI, Subsection (1), of the Canons of the Diocese, (see page 39, of the Journal of 1917), was deferred until the next Council.

The tellers reported on the second ballot, and the fol-

lowing were found and declared to be elected:

For Treasurer: W. E. Moore.

For Standing Committee: The Revs. C. J. Davis, C. A. Jessup, D. D., W. A. R. Goodwin, C. M. Sills, D. D.

For Board of Religious Education: The Revs. G. F. J. Sherwood, J. W. D. Cooper.

For Social Service Commission: The Rev. S. Tyler.

For Deputies to the Provincial Synod: J. G. Buckley.

For Trustees of De Veaux School: The Rev. P. W. Mosher, de Lancey Rankine.

On motion, unanimous consent was given the Secretary to cast one vote for M. D. Mann, M. D., for the Standing Committee. The ballot being cast Dr. Mann was declared elected.

On motion, unanimous consent was given the Secretary to cast one vote for the Rev. R. N. Willcox for the Social Service Commission. The ballot being cast the Rev. Mr. Willcox was declared elected.

On motion, unanimous consent was given the Assistant Secretary to cast one vote each for the Rev. G. S. Burrows and the Rev. G. M. Irish for Deputies to the Provincial Synod. The votes being cast, the Rev. Mr. Burrows and the Rev. Mr. Irish were declared elected.

The following were nominated to be:

Provisional Deputies to the Provincial Synod: The Revs. C. D. Broughton, P. W. Mosher, E. J. Stevens, J. W. D. Cooper, Messrs. W. F. Endress, E. H. Boynton, L. Stockton, C. E. Mudge.

On motion, unanimous consent was given the Secretary to cast one vote each for the above nominees. The votes being cast they were declared elected.

On motion, it was resolved that the call for a Special Council to elect a Bishop-Coadjutor shall also be a call providing for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before the Council.

On motion, the thanks of the Council were tendered the Rector, Vestry and people of St. Luke's Parish for the most generous and hospitable manner in which they have provided for the accommodation and comfort of the members.

On motion, the sum of ten dollars was appropriated to be paid the Sexton.

On motion, one thousand copies of the Journal were ordered printed.

On motion, a standing vote of thanks was tendered the Presiding Officer for the very able and happy manner in which he has performed the duties of President of the Council.

On motion, the Rev. Mr. Willcox was authorized to order mailed to the parishes and missions of the Diocese copies of Senator Tully's resolutions; and to make the expense a charge against the Diocese.

On motion of the Rev. G. F. Sherwood, it was unanimously resolved that the Secretary be instructed to thank the editors of the Jamestown Post and the Jamestown Journal for the full and excellent reports of the proceedings of this Council.

The minutes were read, and, on motion, adopted.

After prayers, the Council, on motion, adjourned sine die.

C. A. JESSUP, Presiding Officer.

Attest:

G. SHERMAN BURROWS,
Secretary.

CHARLES H. SMITH,
Assistant Secretary.

APPENDIX I

(A)

Bishop's Address

Making Democracy Safe for the World

In the searching light of the months which have elapsed since I made my decision, I cannot do other than test honestly the validity of my choice to accept your call to leadership in the Church in the Diocese of Western New York. There have been many days when I would have returned to my missionary life in the Philippine Islands instantaneously and joyously had it been possible. This was partly due to homesickness but partly also to the fact that my vocation is missionary and can never be otherwise. It seems like doing violence to that vocation to move from the super-national to the national sphere. Nothing would justify it except the motive and purpose to carry into diocesan life not only the full loyalty of the past but intensified zeal in this the most vital responsibility of the Church's life and activity. I shall look to you to aid me to the utmost in giving it the first place in our common effort to promote the Kingdom of God among men.

Although we must try to be impartial in our relation to the whole field of missionary endeavor, I would lack in ordinary loyalty if I allowed anything to loosen my affection for and personal interest in the Philippine Islands and their people. For sixteen years, night and day, they have been so intimately part of myself that I could not now displace them if I tried. In this era of their history a fresh heart and hand can perhaps do better for them than I, were I to resume my place there. But my own heart and hand will always be instinctively active in their behalf, whatever other duties hold me. This applies particularly to one department of work for which I made myself personally responsible. I mean the school and hospital work among the Moros. The permanent claim upon me which they constitute will, I trust, meet with your recognition and support.

There is also one other, an immediate need, which I hope we can meet. In Bontoc the over-crowded Chapel is a daily appeal for funds for an adequate Church building. I should

like to see a worthy Memorial Church to the Rev. W. C. Clapp, our first missionary among the northern Igorots, a man of saintly life and deep consecration.

My present work in France was undertaken as the continuation of my responsibility to the U.S. Army coincident with my life in the Philippines. It has taken on a more extensive character since I arrived in response to a request of the Commander in Chief, first suggested in May, 1917, but which then seemed impossible. Your most generous offer to have me act as your representative in this responsibility has enabled me to throw myself into it with a free mind. I have been asked to become General Headquarters' Chaplain with the task of organizing the Chaplains' Service in the A. E. F. and co-ordinating the religious and moral agencies at work in the Army. I do not attempt to disguise the fact that prolonged absence from my new Diocese must be detrimental to its interests. In time of acute peril, which is also time of acute opportunity, one's course cannot be shaped by canons of normal conditions. The question is one of weighing service values. The emergency claim, coming unsought and undesired as it does, seems to allow of no contradiction. I have not chosen it: it has The responsibility is superior to the local and chosen me. touches intimately the life and future of the Christian Churches and the Nation. There is nothing in the A. E. F. today of more immediate importance. Your assurance of continued support alone can make it possible for me to give myself to this undertaking, if not with confidence, at any rate without misgivings. It is as your representative that I began my work in France. It is as your representative that I must continue it, if I remain.

He is a small man and but slimly endowed with courage who does not exult and thank God for having matched him with this, His hour. It is neither presumptuous nor mad to face the world of today with fearlessness and expectancy. It is the normal temper of the Christian to look up and lift up his head in all times and all places but especially when hostile forces set their battle array. Unless we are reading the signs of the times amiss, the Kingdom of Heaven is close at hand, closer than we think, and some new phase of redemption draweth nigh. Nearness, however, is of no value unless its contents are seized and appropriated by skilled and courageous hands. This is not a mystical and paradoxical assertion but one borne out by an increasing volume of undeniable fact.

In the first place a salutary whirlwind is sweeping through the world, bearing both life and death in its tearing, scorching breath. It is purifying and burnishing that which is durable and clean; it is withering and demolishing that which is unstable and unclean. The War is not the whirlwind. It is rather its weapon, unsheathed by man but wielded by God. The whirlwind is the fiery Spirit of God in a passion of love, bent on revealing the good and destroying the bad. He is so gentle that no grain of gold is lost in the process; so furious that no grain of dross escapes His wrath as He comes flying on the sombre wings of War.

We have suddenly learned what a faulty and unreliable thing civilization as we have known it hitherto was. We had outgrown it and did not know it. Our loyalty to mere continuity was our undoing. We resisted radical change as though the fault of those who advocated it was that they were too extreme whereas the truth of the matter was that they were not extreme enough. Now we see gasping in the grip of death the civilization which cajoled us into paying it divine honors. Its soul will live but its body will die and rise again after the refinement of death, if we so will. Our part is not to try to keep it alive as it was, but to help it to die and win fresh life out of death. "What we are striving for is a new international order, based upon the broad universal principles of right and justice—no mere peace of shreds and patches." So our President.

That which is here demanded of those group unities called nations in their inter-relations is demanded with equal insistence of the whole social order in its remotest corners as well as in its conspicuous mansions. As an English hand has written of the national: "We need to beware of patchwork . . . What has to be reconstructed after the War is not this or that Government Department, or this or that piece of social machinery, but . . . society itself. The individual statesman, immersed in daily routine—like the individual soldier in a battle -easily fails to understand the magnitude and far reaching importance of what is taking place around him. How does it fit together as a whole? How does it look from a distance? Count Okuma, one of the oldest, most experienced and ablest of the statesmen of Japan, watching the present conflict from the other side of the globe, declares it to be nothing less than the death of European civilization. Just as in the past the civilizations of Babylon, Egypt, Greece, Carthage and the great Roman Empire have been successively destroyed, so in

the judgment of this detached observer, the civilization of all Europe is even now receiving its death-blow . . . At such times of crisis it is easier to slip into ruin than to progress into higher forms of organization . . . If we in Britain are to escape from the decay of civilization itself, which the Japanese statesman foresees, we must ensure that what is presently to be built up in a new social order, based not on fighting but on fraternity—not on the competitive struggle for the means of bare life, but on a deliberately planned co-operation in production and distribution for the benefit of all who participate by hand or by brain—not on the utmost possible inequality of riches, but on a systematic approach towards a healthy equality of material circumstances for every person born into the world—not on an enforced dominion over subject nations, subject races, subject Colonies, subject classes, subject sex, but, in industry as well as government, on that equal freedom, that general consciousness of consent, and that widest possible participation in power, both economic and political, which is characteristic of Democracy." If we add to this-not on a famished and shattered and competitive Christianity but on one Lord, one faith, one baptism, then the whole passage is thoroughly Pauline.

The struggle today is through victory to a righteous and enduring peace—peace not in the cold sense of cessation of war but of a structural and temperamental change in the whole social order that will make war impossible. Nothing else will suffice. We can accept no terms of peace from the enemy that are not the repudiation of tyranny and the acknowledgment of his crime. But we, too, must admit where we are wrong. War will be inevitable as long as the framework and temper of community life in small as well as in large units is chiefly competitive and aggresively self-assertive. We cannot hope to have international harmony, however fine the machinery of achieving it may be, if the principles of national life remain untouched and unchanged.

It is of vital importance that this should be made clear without delay and without equivocation. We must know now exactly what we are going to do with peace when we return to our firesides again. Unless we do, we cannot insure morale sufficient to sustain us through conflict to victory. Our soldiers are radically different from those of the Central Powers. Ours are citizens first and soldiers second; citizens always, soldiers for a moment; soldiers only so far as arms are an in-

dispensable means of securing freedom for the exercise of citizenship. Whereas theirs are soldiers first and citizens second; the State is force and the first duty of the citizen is according to the logic of the definition, to be a soldier: the contention that Prussia is an army in character and a nation in name, is not an empty epigram but a self-confessed fact. The professional soldier and the professional politician have a common motto—"To the victors, the spoils." For the German it may be sufficient to inspire him with the expectation of victory as the final goal because he is out for spoils. It is different with our Allies and ourselves. We are soldiers only for a season and presently, please God, we shall be citizens with nothing of the soldier about us but a soldier's memory. We must know what lies beyond in our national life. No one wishes to recall the old order. Everyone counts the emergency, or ad interim, order tolerable only until peace comes. So we must think straight, see clearly and plan wisely. If we get the main features of life properly trimmed to a true plan in the lesser groups within our power, the larger unity will almost be a necessity flowing out of the other. A stable and righteous peace will make the world safe for democracy. But we must, conversely, make democracy safe for the world. There is the big task ready at hand for every citizen—we must determine what we are going to do nationally with peace when it is won, as won it must be. Those who think ahead will hold the future in the hollow of their The time of preparation, however prolonged, will be all too short for so stupendous a task as to reshape society fundamentally. Democracy is not a form of government; it is a principle of society. It determines the disposition and framework of government as one phase of social order. But it goes infinitely beyond statecraft. It is not extravagant to say that unless our citizen soldiers are inspired with a satisfactory view of national as well as international democracy of tomorrow, they will not have enough impetus to win this war. And even if they did, international peace would probably have as its immediate sequence national revolution and disorder. It is, however, a matter of principles rather than platforms.

The first need of our own country is a more democratic conception of the whole of society. It is a defect of democracy, as we have known it, that it has been translated too exclusively into terms of government. Lincoln did not intend his Gettysburg epigram to be a complete or a final definition of democracy, if indeed he thought of it as a definition at all. Democracy is, politically considered, government of, by and for the

people. The sort of people who compose the government determines the sort of government which will ensue. It will be good, bad or indifferent according as the people are good, bad or in-There have been more pains spent in the American Republic to make the votes universal than to make the voter intelligent and clean. Democracy is in its largest sense the complete development of the complete capacity of complete man. Nothing short of it is sufficient for the opportunity. Whatever may be the defects of the Army, it puts a conception of complete manhood before the glitter and tinsel of accidental and superficial accessories and acquirements. The German conception of the soldier is a perfect military machine: the American, a complete man with a well trained body, a clean soul, and a The German conception of a soldier's duty is to free mind. obey the State. The American, to serve the commonwealth. The German purpose is to enslave. The American, to set men free. It is plain that, if this analysis be true, the War is between the soldier and the citizen. The former fights to militarize the world, the latter to enfranchise it.

There is of course a danger of militarizing our citizens. Yet there is absolutely no excuse for it. Militarization is the creation of military skill without regard to the means employed, provided a good fighting machine is the result. Its ethics are determined by necessity not by principle. It is the creation of a mechanical brute, whose chief equipment is force and whose chief occupation is destruction.

The encouraging thing in our military experience thus far is the rising insistence laid upon character. More attention is being given to the character of the soldier than has ever been given to any one department of life in our nation. In the first place consider the means used for securing clean morals in the personnel of the Army. The earliest result of the process of physical examination was a staggering revelation. Our nation had the advantage of the experience of nations which had had nearly three years of war before we came in. Thanks to our being thus forearmed, we have been enabled to meet the sexual problem at any rate with an upward thrust. It is not so that war merely reveals what rottenness lies hidden beneath the fair surface of normal conditions. It intensifies and distorts sexual This is partly unintelligible and partly intelligible. may be as has been suggested, that in that war is the threatened suicide of society, heightened sexual passion is society's procreative protest against its attempted annihilation. But this is sure—and many years of close observation enable me to maintain it as a verified fact,—that even our mild militarism entails sex segregation, enforced celibacy, and the torment of enlarged and organized assaults upon purity. There is but one way to meet this extraordinary and inhuman strain on the fire of youth. youth frequently but poorly equipped to run even the ordinary gauntlet of temptations—the soldier must be built up in every feature of manhood, inspired by ideals so potent as to give no room for lower aspiration. His purity cannot be singled out for development as a lonely virtue but must be made to lean on every pillar of personal virility. When all this has been done, the strain will be too great to endure except for a short time. We have begun well by direct attack. We must continue by indirect but all embracing appeals to the highest impulses in the human soul if the good record begun is to continue. It is encouraging to hear from officers on the firing line that it will be difficult for them to keep up with the enlisted men, so splendid are they. As an index of what our methods of determining the physical condition of our young men has revealed and how effective our handling of the situation has proved, statistics from the Surgeon General's Office, A. E. F., are appended. These figures speak for themselves. The number of venereal cases found in men from civil life examined for the National Army reach a point that is appalling even though the chart is not altogether accurate in its summary. In the A. E. F. a man found with venereal disease is subject to court martial and penal discipline, not only because his condition partakes of the character of self-inflicted injury but also because by an act of moral lawlessness he has become a menace to society. The flaw in justice is that the transgressor who escapes disease is not penalized. Penalty, when it fails, is for the consequence of transgression rather than for the transgression. The man who is already penalized by natural law is further penalized by military law. who has transgressed in like degree and has luckily escaped the whip of natural law goes scot free. I am supposing that in both cases the offender has immediately reported after exposure according to Army regulations.

Of course mere physical condition is in itself no final asset. But whether physical examination reveals wholesome or unwholesome living, it is a great starting point for moral uplift or correction. Again, physical examination in itself is a mechanical precaution. But it gives spiritual agencies their opportunity. Our experience thus far shows that the methods adopted by our Army both in literature and in restrictive measures pro-

duces a higher degree of physical cleanness than is found in civil life. The great thing to insist upon is that it should be brought about by means that also promote cleanness of morals in thought and practice. Here lies the real difficulty. The A. E. F. literature has touched the high-water mark of any similar literature, though there is still opportunity for improvement. Prophylactic instruction can easily obliterate the influence of wholesome teaching by its suggestive effect.

This subject is not one of mere national or local import. It is as vast as mankind. Today it is begging for consideration at the hands of the combined interlocked democracies so that it can be opposed by a united front which is our chief hope of success against this foe as well as against Teuton armies. A conference on the problem between the Americans and French has met. One has also been arranged with the British looking toward common cause against one of our most subtle enemies. We have learned at least something of how to deal with the male side of the question. The female is more baffling.

One thing we have learned is this—that a man's private life is not his own property. He belongs to the commonwealth and must be protected first of all against himself. Medical examination properly conducted is not a public nuisance or an infringement of personal liberty. It is a domestic blessing and should find permanent place in some wise form in every civilized community. With salutary, common sense teaching in the home on sex facts by the mother or father or both as a back-ground for manhood, we can look forward to a coming generation of clean-minded, clean-limbed youth. The Church must spiritualize this whole great movement toward a sexually wholesome tomorrow.

It is an acknowledged defect of our democracy that it has over stressed personal at the expense of social liberty. We must begin to strike a better balance. The soldier's uniform declares the wearer to belong to the nation in time of war—that he must be at his best for life or death in behalf of his country's ideals under one uniform system. The citizen's garb speaks of no less a devotion to the commonwealth in time of peace—only in this latter case the individual method of service has larger play in its operation than is possible in the emergency of war. The social whole has been too timid in laying its requirements and disciplines on the individual from fear of interfering with his legitimate liberty. The war has taught us that men are not only ready but soberly willing to respond to the demand for sacrifice

if the reason for it is big enough. Universal Service in some wise and permanent form is going to be the demand of the men of peace as it has been the demand of the men of war. National development requires it not less than national defence. It can no more be properly expressed in taxes during peace than during war. It must be personal; it must be nation wide, including both sexes.

But it is not in superimposed or statutory disciplines that we are chiefly to look for help. The nation is being educated in the comprehensive school of mankind and a public conscience on the subject is in preparation which will control society more and The one thing for us to attempt to do is to translate Democracy into terms of the Kingdom of God as revealed in the uncontroverted portion of the teaching of Jesus Christ, and to read into civil life virtues, some of which have become a commonplace in the Army. Take social caste for an illustration. Snobbishness which lives and flourishes in our parlors at home lies dead in the trenches in France. Those ditches of mud are in respect of fraternity more like heaven than the mansions and marts of our nation. The test there is neither luck nor artificial culture nor capital, but manhood, naked and splendid. The pride of chance, of veneer and of possessions has given way to the pride of comradeship. Can these men who have been reduced to the common equality of brothers in time of war against a common fee go back home to array themselves against one another in a game of social exclusiveness or of financial grab? I think not. There are those of wealth and position who have already abjured, or who are ready to abjure these accessories for all time in order to bring in a higher measure of social and industrial order. They have had a vision which will never fade. All that is necessary in this connection is to print the good features of war lessons on the face of industry and make permanent for peace a fraternal principle which has proved indispensable for war.

There are indications that men are beginning to think in terms of the whole race. For instance, the announcement at base camps in the B. E. F. where there are huge aggregations of men, that a missionary subject will be presented, insures packed audiences of men who listen breathlessly to the last word. This is the record of a common experience and not a snap judgment from exceptional occasions. As a matter of fact one explanation of missionary apathy in the past is that men have not been educated in the school of necessity to think in terms of the

Our American custom has been too much to think sectionally for three years, nationally for one and internationally only when compelled to do so. For the first time in history entire nations are beginning to think internationally. a great distance to travel yet before this becomes a universal and controlling habit of mind, but it has gone far enough to preclude the possibility of any democratic country from sinking back into habits of insularity. America is beginning to think and act internationally. She can no more cease from progressing in this direction than she can revert to colonial life. Our principles of government are so deeply set that our State Department is bound to be affected tremendously in all future handling of foreign affairs by a nation which in a first hand way is rapidly becoming interested in and acquainted with international affairs. The Society of Nations will be an impregnable guardian of peace only when or if the conduct of foreign affairs is as much and as intelligently democratised as the domestic departments of government. The purity and truthfulness of the daily press is in this connection of more vital importance than its freedom.

Towering above everything else today is the growing conviction that the ultimate aim of this War is to give room in society for the Kingdom of God to dwell—the plain advocacy and application through the Church to those principles of Christian brotherhood which are steadily capturing the imagination and swaying the conduct of rapidly increasing numbers of men who have not counted their lives dear unto themselves. The things which, as they say, we have asked men to die for must be so fused with common life as to make men ready to live for them. The Church and the State which have expected and executed the great sacrifices of her citizens which make every day in the year a saint's day, must, when the immediate purpose for which the sacrifices were demanded shall have been gained, present to the citizen such a programme of progress and richness as will be recognized by all to compensate for and be commensurate with the pain and loss sustained. There must be a joy set before us which will inspire us to endure the Cross and despise the shame of the moment. It must be worked out and presented now. Tomorrow is too late for it. Now is the day of salvation.

It is inspiring and comforting to realize that, if we put the practical inauguration of the Kingdom of God among men as the ultimate aim of this war, we are not impeded from beginning the process forthwith. The Kingdom of God has as one of its main characteristics nearness. It is always available and outward conditions cannot exclude it. We can begin today com-

mitting our lives to its strong tide. Its restraints and inspirations, individual and social, are here, at hand, for the day, the hour, the moment. Again, it is not even dependent upon victory for its own highest triumph. Indeed in the later statements of the aims of the war there have been eliminated elements that, had they stood, might have impeded rather than have aided the progress of a Kingdom whose roots are buried in the soil of meekness, humility, forgiveness and love. The Kingdom of God is never so completely at home as in defeat and humiliation. Otherwise the Cross means nothing. The slow torture of Belgium has made place for the Kingdom in that nation now. But of course the final expression for which we wait is a society as wide as mankind marked by the main principles of the teaching of Christ. Between now and then there may be many ad interim defeats. Those are best able to use victory who have proved themselves able to use defeat to high advantage.

There is no lesson which the Churches are learning in the War Zone of greater importance than the impotence of our divided Christianity. It is absurd to aim at a united mankind, or even a united Christian civilization, and to be content with a divided Church. Many are feverishly anxious for something to be done to bring us together but the moment for action is slipping by without action. The Archbishop of Upsala, all honor to him, has appealed for an ecumenical conference. Our own movement for a Conference on Faith and Order has not been silent or idle. But surely, surely there must eventually be two peace tables, one of the exhausted nations, the other of the exhausted Churches. To have the former without the latter would mean that the spiritual vision and the moral conscience of the nations was superior to that of the Churches. So far as the Churches are concerned, if all of them will not gather at call in the name of Christ, the only solid foundation for the present, the sole hope of the future, at least those should gather who are ready and willing. There is enough Catholic love, scholarship, impartiality and intelligence in our ranks to safeguard and present the position of any absentees. The broken soul of the broken human family must give place to a whole soul in a whole family. Unity in a real sense according to the mind of Christ, and not according to my mind or yours, is so elemental a phase of the Gospel that without it the Gospel is a force making not for order but for confusion. A confused Church will be a potent factor in maintaining a confused world. I see no glimmer of hope for permanent and fraternal peace among the nations without at least as permanent and fraternal a peace among the Churches.

We, a complex and shattered world stand face to face with the simple and only God. We view Him as complex and try to reach Him by complex methods. His simplicity is not found as a condescension, but as the supreme splendor of His character. When He is simple toward us He rises, He does not stoop. When men and nation and Churches shall have become as simple as His only laws, the two laws of love, require us to be, then the kingdoms of this world will become the Kingdom of God and of His Christ.

Prayer for the Allies

O God, who hast appointed a day when the kingdoms of this world shall become the Kingdom of our Lord and of his Christ, mightily move the Allied Nations that we may now and always choose thy will as our will, thy way as our way, thy peace as our peace. So lock our fortunes to thy purpose in those days of storm and battle, that we may rise through courage to victory, and, in abiding fellowship, win for the world that freedom which will enable all nations to bring their glory and honor into thy Kingdom, through him who came to set men free, Jesus our King.

APPENDIX I.

(B)

Official Acts of Bishop Knight

April 22, 1918.

Rev. C. Morton Sills, D. D.,
President Standing Committee,
Diocese of Western New York,
Geneva, N. Y.

My Dear Dr. Sills:

In accordance with the request and the authority of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Western New York, I desire to report the following official acts during my recent visit to the said Diocese:

Friday, March 22, 1918, I preached and advanced to the priesthood the Rev. William Salisbury in the Church of the Holy Communion, Buffalo.

Friday, March 22, 1918, I preached and confirmed 29 in St. James' Church, Buffalo, and on the same date confirmed one in private, said Church.

Sunday, March 24, 1918, I preached and confirmed 51 in St. Paul's Church, Buffalo; 19 of these accredited to St. Matthew's Church, Buffalo, and 32 to St. Paul's Church.

Sunday, March 24, 1918, I preached and confirmed 31 in the Church of the Holy Communion, Buffalo; 9 of these being from St. Clement's Church, and 22 from the Church of the Holy Communion.

Sunday, March 24, 1918, I preached and confirmed 35 in the Church of the Ascension, Buffalo.

Monday, March 25, 1918, I preached and confirmed 14 in St. Mark's Church, North Tonawanda.

Tuesday, March 26, 1918, I confirmed two in private for Grace Church, Buffalo.

Wednesday, March 27, 1918, I preached and confirmed 35 in St. Simon's Church, Buffalo.

Thursday, March 28, 1918, I preached and confirmed 71 in Grace Church, Buffalo.

Friday, March 29, 1918, I preached and confirmed 28 in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Buffalo.

In addition to the above official acts, I preached daily in St. Paul's Church, Buffalo, at noon, Monday, March 25, to Thursday, March 28, inclusive. I also preached on Tuesday evening at 8:00 p. m. in St. Paul's Church, Buffalo. On Easter Day, March 31, I preached in the morning in St. Paul's Church, Buffalo, and in the evening in Trinity Church, Geneva.

Very faithfully yours,

ALLISON W. KNIGHT.

APPENDIX I.

(C)

Official Acts of Bishop Olmsted

1918.

April 5. Batavia. Confirmed ten.

April 14. Buffalo. A. M. St. Jude's. Confirmed nineteen. P. M. St. Luke's. Confirmed eighteen.

April 18. Buffalo. P. M. St. Thomas'. Confirmed thirty-seven.

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April 24. Rochester. P. M. St. Stephen's. Confirmed fourteen.

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April 26. Rochester. P. M. St. George's (Charlotte). Confirmed twelves edt at 50 becomes

April 28. Rochester. A. M. Christ Church. Confirmed seventeen. P. M. St. Mark's. Confirmed seven.

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ALLISON W. KNIGHT.

APPENDIX I.

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Benton, W. DeL., D.D.
White, Glenn W.

RECEIVED.

Clarke, Thomas B.
Fisher, Oliver M.
Lynds, H. Irvine
Mesier, Henry
Shaw, Gilbert A.
Sheppard, Joseph Henry
Woodard, Francis C.
Willcox, Reginald Norton
Whedon, H. Curtis

Ordination

DIACONATE.

Brown, William A. Nixon, W. Edward

PRIESTHOOD.

Borton, John N. Sagar, John Salisbury, William S.

APPENDIX II.

(A) Reports of Officers and Committees

Report of the Standing Committee

To the Eighty-First Annual Council of the Diocese of Western New York, the Standing Committee herewith reports its official acts from May 15, 1917, to December 31, 1917.

MAY 15, 1917.—The Standing Committee by resolution expressed its gratitude for and appreciation of the beautiful eulogy which Bishop Olmsted of Colorado had delivered at the Memorial Services for the late Bishop W. D. Walker.

On motion the following minute on Bishop Walker's death was unanimously adopted:

"The death of the Right Reverend William David Walker, D. D., LL.D., D. C. L., late Bishop of the Diocese of Western New York, causes another vacancy in the older members of the House of Bishops, he being at the time of his death the fifth in the order of consecration.

"Bishop Walker was a noble man with high ideals, lofty purposes, sincere and earnest convictions, indomitable will and untiring energy. Loyal to the Church, he believed in its divine institution and catholic position, yet believing thus as a fact his Protestant predilections led him to be averse to extremes of ritual, believing as he did in the rendition of the Church services in a simple rather than an ornate manner.

He was a staunch defender of the sanctity of marriage and the enforcement of the Church Canons relative to the same and a believer and exponent of stricter regulation.

With large natural talents, an excellent education and extended travel, in his sermons he expressed great thoughts in fine English, and in particular his addresses to confirmation classes were marked as gems both of thought and diction.

As Vicar of Calvary Church in New York, prior to being called to the Episcopate, and his work in the Episcopate for about thirty-four years, thirteen in the missionary district of North Dakota and over twenty in Western New York, he faithfully served the Church to which he adhered and never failed in his fidelity and energy to work for those things which he believed were for the ultimate good of the Church. The labors of the last week of his life proved his fidelity, interest and energy, and hastened his call to the Life Eternal.

"May light perpetual shine upon him."

The Rev. John T. Kerrin, a Presbyter canonically connected with this Diocese, having expressed in writing to the late Bishop Walker his renunciation of the sacred ministry;

On motion, the Standing Committee requested the Bishop of Colorado to depose him from the ministry.

On motion the Rev. John Sagar and the Rev. John N. Borton, deacons, were recommended for ordination to the Priesthood.

On motion the Rev. Francis Woodward was received into the Diocese from the Diocese of Harrisburg.

On motion, Squire Schofield was admitted as a Postulant for Holy Orders.

On motion, Richard Warne was authorized to apply to the Bishop of New York for admittance to Deacon's orders on Trinity Sunday.

On motion, Rev. Dr. Goodwin and Mr. J. W. Crafts were appointed a committee to draw up the annual budget of the Diocese.

On motion the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That the President of the Standing Committee be and is hereby requested to notify the Council and the Diocese of the death of Bishop Walker and that it is necessary for this Diocese to choose a Bishop, bidding the clergy to prayers that God will supply a Pastor after His own Heart, and that the Standing Committee recommend to the Council, that when it adjourns, it adjourns to meet at Trinity Church, Buffalo, on June 5th, at 11 o'clock in the morning for the purpose of electing a Bishop; the Holy Communion to be celebrated at that hour."

The Report of the Special Committee on the Christmas Fund was on motion received and filed.

MAY 16, 1917.—The Committee appointed to prepare a Budget, was instructed to add, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Religious Education, the item of \$500.00 for the expenses of a Field Secretary for the Board of Religious Education.

The Committee, elected by the Council, was called together. Rev. C. Morton Sills, D. D.; Rev. C. J. Davis, Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, D. D.; Rev. Walter North, L. H. D., Selden S. Brown, A. C. Walker, W. H. Walker, J. W. Crafts.

A quorum being present the Rev. C. Morton Sills, D. D., was elected President; the Rev. Walter North, L. H. D., was elected Secretary.

JUNE 5, 1917.—The Bishop of Colorado was requested to ordain to the Diaconate W. E. Nixon and William A. Brown.

JUNE 25, 1917.—The Treasurer of the Diocese was ordered to pay the Right Rev. Charles S. Olmsted an honorarium of \$200 with his expenses for Episcopal ministrations during the month of June.

The Secretary of the Diocese was requested to put the names of Rev. Messrs. Nixon and Warne on the list of clergy, and to restore the name of Rev. G. G. Ballard.

The Rev. Gilbert A. Shaw was received from the Diocese of Bethlehem.

Consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. Arthur Conover Thomson, Suffragan Bishop-elect of Southern Virginia. Consent was given to the election of a Bishop Coadjutor of Newark.

Consent was given to the election of the Rt. Rev. Wilson B. Stearly, D.D., to be Coadjutor Bishop of Newark.

Consent was given to the election of the Rt. Rev. Harry S. Longley, D. D., to be Bishop Coadjutor of Iowa.

Consent was given to the election of Rev. Harry Tunis Moore, D. D. to be Bishop Coadjutor of Dallas.

Consent was given to the election of the Rt. Rev. Frank Arthur McElwain, D. D., to be Bishop of Minnesota.

Consent was given to the election of a Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of Tennessee.

Consent was given to the election of the Rev. Reginald N. Willcox to be Rector of St. Luke's Church, Jamestown.

The Secretary was directed to prepare assessments upon the parishes to cover the budget adopted at the Council.

The Secretary was directed to authorize the Treasurer of the Diocese to pay to the Rev. George T. Le Boutillier and the Rev. E. J. Babcock the retiring allowance, the same to be returned from the Ely Fund when a Bishop has been eletted in the Diocese.

The Treasurer of the Diocese was direct to pay to Mrs. W. D. Walker the salary for three months elapsed since the death of the late Bishop.

On motion it was resolved that the Council be called together again on July 5th, 1917.

On motion the Standing Committee accepted the invitation of the Rector and Vestry of Christ Church, Rochester, to meet at that church on July 5th, 1917, at eleven o'clock in the morning, with a celebration of the Holy Communion.

On motion it was resolved that the Secretary of the Diocese be requested to notify the churches and parishes that the Rev. Dr. Manning having declined his election as Bishop of Western New York, the Standing Committee does now call together again the Council at Christ Church, Rochester, on July 5th, beginning with a celebration of the Holy Communion at eleven o'clock, for the purpose of electing a Bishop and bids the prayers of the clergy and people that God will supply a chief pastor after His own heart, and that the Secretary of the Diocese be requested to call the attention of the clergy and laity to the Canon which requires that parishes shall pay the traveling expenses of the clergy to and from the Council.

JULY 5th, 1917.—The Rector, Wardens and Vestry of Grace Church, Buffalo, were granted permission to sell the old church and lot situated at the corner of Niagara and Penfield.

Certain divorce papers having been submitted, the Secretary was instructed to certify that said papers were in conformity with the requirements of General Canon 40.

SEPTEMBER 11th, 1917.—Consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. Judah Mikell, D. D., Bishop-elect of Atlanta.

Consent was given to the election of the Rev. John L. Short to the Rectorship of St. Luke's Church, Buffalo.

Consent was given to the election of the Rev. Paul Hoffman to the Rectorship of St. Mark's Church, Penn Yan.

On motion the President of the Committee was authorized to admit as a postulant, Howard Henry Hassinger.

The Rev. Alexander Mann, having declined election as Bishop of Western New York, the Secretary of the Diocese was directed to call another meeting of the 80th Council at St. Paul's Church, Buffalo, at eleven o'clock on the morning of October 2nd, and the prayers of the clergy and people are bidden that God would supply a pastor after His own Heart.

The Secretary was directed to call the attention of the Reverend Clergy to the necessity of payment of all assessments before January 1st, 1918; so that the new financial system might not be confused with the old.

On motion the Committee adjourned to accept the invitation of Mrs. Walker to view the monument to be erected to the memory of the late Bishop, William David Walker.

OCTOBER 2nd, 1917.—Herbert Henry Parkinson was admitted as a postulant for Holy Orders.

Herbert Henry Parkinson was admitted as a candidate for Holy Orders.

The President was given authority to accept the papers of clergymen coming duly certified by their Bishops and called to service in this Diocese.

On motion the Chancellor was requested to notify the clergy and laity, assembled in Council, of the duty of vestries to advise the Standing Committee of all vacancies occurring, and all intentions to call clergymen, as the Canons require as to the Bishop of the Diocese.

NOVEMBER 19th, 1917.—Consent was given to the ordination of the Rev. William S. Salisbury, Deacon, to the Priesthood.

On motion the Committee on Notification, appointed to communicate to the Rt. Rev. Charles Henry Brent, D. D., the fact of his election as Bishop of Western New York, was invited to meet with the Standing Committee.

The Committee on Notification then reported that Bishop Brent would announce his decision on Thursday, November 22nd, after conference with the officers of the Board of Missions.

Bishop Brent was then introduced to the Committee.

On the withdrawal of the Bishop and the Committee on Notification, the following resolution was adopted:

"Should the Rt. Rev. Charles Henry Brent, D. D., accept his election and should his acceptance be confirmed by the Bishops and Standing Committees of the Church, the Standing Committee of Western New York would consent that he continue his services to American troops in France as long as in his judgment it seems expedient for him to do so, and that the Diocese of Western New York would feel deeply honored in having him as its Bishop and representative, rendering to the American troops in France and through them to humanity, this service of patriotic ministry and sacrificial devotion."

The following telegram was received:

"I accept the election as Bishop of Western New York, subject to confirmation by the Bishops and Standing Committees. Do not make public announcement until November 26th, 1917." DECEMBER 17th, 1917.—Consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. William Proctor Remington, Suffragan Bishop-elect of the Missionary district of South Dakota.

Consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. John Charles Sage, Missionary Bishop-elect of Salina.

Consent was given to consecration of the Rev. Robert Le Roy Harris, D. D., Bishop Coadjutor-elect of Marquette.

The death of the Rev. George Washington Sinclair Ayres, Archdeacon of Buffalo, having been announced, the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That the Standing Committee gives its consent that the Missionary Board of the Archdeaconry of Buffalo, may elect some one to perform the Missionary duties of an Archdeacon, in the Archdeaconry of Buffalo, during the vacancy caused by the death of Archdeacon Ayres, until such time as an Archdeacon can be elected in accordance with the provisions of the Canon."

On motion the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen of the Church of the Ascension were given permission to sell certain property owned by the corporation.

The application of the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen of Trinity Church, Fredonia, was referred to a committee.

Certain divorce papers having been submitted, the Secretary was directed to certify that they were in conformity with the Canon 40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

WALTER NORTH, Secretary.

Supplementary Report of the Standing Committee

JANUARY 10, 1918—Supplementary action in the case of property of the Church of the Ascension, Rochester, was approved.

The Committee appointed to confer with the corporation of Trinity Church, Fredonia, reported progress.

On motion, Turner & Porter were appointed official printers.

On motion the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, a majority of the Bishops and Standing Committees of the Protestant Episcopal Church have given their consent to the duly certified election of the Right Reverend C. H. Brent, D. D., Missionary Bishop of the Philippine Islands, to be Bishop of the Diocese of Western New York, and thereupon according to the canons of the General Church, Bishop Brent is now Bishop of Western New York, therefore,

Resolved, That the Standing Committee of Western New York do now instruct their Secretary to communicate this fact to Bishop Brent by cable and by letter; and further

Resolved, That the Standing Committee do now grant to Bishop Brent leave of absence from the Diocese for such time as in his judgment seems expedient, in order that he may minister to the American troops in France.

FEBRUARY 11, 1918—Howard Henry Hassenger was made a candidate for Holy Orders.

On motion the Secretary of the Parochial Fund was authorized to pay \$75.00 from the Permanent Fund for insurance on the Missionary house at Sodus. One hundred dollars was appropriated for a student in the General Seminary. The Secretary was directed to send a cablegram to the Bishop asking for ecclesiastical authority during his absence.

On motion the following resolution was adopted:

When authority is received from the Bishop the President of the Standing Committee is authorized to make arrangements for the performance of Episcopal duties until the Bishop returns.

MARCH 12, 1918—Consent was given to the election of a Coadjutor-Bishop of Mississippi.

On motion the Rt. Rev. C. H. Brent, D. D., Rev. D. L. Ferris, B. D., and Francis S. Baker were elected to fill vacancies on the Board of Trustees of De Veaux College.

The following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, It has been brought to the attention of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Western New York that steps are being taken to complete the organization of the Rochester Church Extension Society, an organization incorporated by act of the Legislature of the State of New York,

Therefore, Be it resolved that the Standing Committee hereby gives consent to the completion of the organization of said Society in so far as ecclesiastical consent is required under law, and also, gives consent to the Executive Committee of said Society when it shall be formally organized to select and call a clergyman to work in connection with the Society in the fulfillment of its purpose, said election to be confirmed by the Standing Committee of the Diocese, provided the Bishop of the Diocese shall not have, in the meantime, returned.

At a meeting of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Western New York, held in Rochester, March 12, 1918, the following Resolution was adopted:

Whereas, Our Bishop is giving invaluable service to our country by his ministrations to the army in the field and asks a few days more than the canonical three months, to which he is entitled, in order to continue his good work,

Believing that the people of the Diocese can, in no better way, help our country's cause than by having him as our representative with the soldiers;

Therefore, be it Resolved, That the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Western New York hereby gives its consent to the absence of our Bishop, the Right Reverend Charles Henry Brent, D. D., from January third, when he became Bishop, to such time as in his judgment seems best.

APRIL 16 1918.—Consent was given to the election of the Rev. Edward Thomas Demly, Suffragan Bishop-elect of Arkansas.

On motion consent was given to the sale of property of St. Mark's Church, Hunts Hollow.

Consent was given to the sale of property of the Church of the Ascension, Rochester.

Acting as the ecclesiastical authority the committee nominated to the Board of Trustees of Hobart College, for the term of five years, the Rev. John Brewster Hubbs, D. D., D. C. L.

Consent was given to the sale of certain property owned by St. Paul's Church, Buffalo.

On motion, the offer of St. Luke's Church, Jamestown, to entertain the Annual Council, was accepted with thanks.

The Rev. Richard Warne, the Rev. William Edmund Nevin, the Rev. William A. Brown, deacons, were recommended for the priest-hood; and Mr. Charles A. Dowdell, Mr. Fred W. Goldsmith, Mr. Squire Schofield were recommended for deacons' orders.

At a meeting of the Standing Committee held on April 16, 1918, on motion of Rev. Dr. W. A. R. Goodwin, the following motion was adopted:

Resolved, That the Standing Committee recommends to the two archdeaconries that steps be taken to stimulate the churches of the Diocese in raising the funds necessary for the two missionary boards of the Diocese in Diocesan Missions and the apportionment from the Diocese for general missions and that a member of the Standing Committee be appointed to co-operate with other agencies existing to further this matter.

The chair appointed Dr. Goodwin.

MAY 20, 1918—The committee received the following nominations for Archdeacon: Rev. Nathan M. Stanton, Rev. G. Sherman Burrows, Rev. Edwin J. Stevens.

On motion the nominations were laid upon the table.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That it is the opinion of the Standing Committee that the assessment for and under the item of Diocesan Expenses, payment of which is essential to representation in the Council, should be made upon the basis of a Budget from which should be excluded assessments for the General Board of Religious Education and the Commission for Social Work.

Resolved, That these additional items should be apportioned among the parishes as an Extra Diocesan Expense.

Moved and carried that the investigation of the matter of the apparent inadequate income received from the Christmas Fund be referred to the Committee on Co-ordinating the Church Pension Fund and the Christmas Fund. The committee to report at the next meeting of the Standing Committee.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

WALTER NORTH, Secretary.

Supplementary Report (Second) of Standing Committee

The following Resolutions were unanimously adopted at a meeting of the Standing Committee held in Buffalo, May 20, 1918, and it was moved that the same be presented to the Diocesan Council at the meeting to be held in Jamestown, May 21-22, 1918.

Whereas, The frightful conflict through which the world is now passing has disturbed most seriously all monetary relationships heretofore existing and seriously diminished the purchasing power of the dollar; and

Whereas, In consequence of this financial situation the compensation allowed employees engaged in all occupations has been universally increased: and.

Whereas, It is generally admitted that the salaries of the clergy have not been increased, and in many instances continue at a rate inadequate to meet the cost of living under present existing circumstances:

Resolved, That the Wardens and Vestries of all parishes within this Diocese be requested to take such formal action as may be necessary—either by directly increasing the Rector's salary or by means of special parish subscriptions—that will add twenty per cent. to the sum of all present clerical salaries.

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Council be requested to mail printed copies of these Resolutions to the Wardens and Vestries of all parishes in this Diocese.

(B) Report of the Treasurer

of the Diocese of Western New York

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR, MAY, 1917, TO DECEMBER 31, 1917.

RECEIPTS.

| For objects within the Diocese: | |
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| Episcopate Fund\$2,425.00 | |
| Diocesan Expense 4,672.15 | |
| Sustentation Fund | |
| Education Fund | |
| | \$7,831.96 |
| For objects outside the Diocese: | |
| American Church Building Fund | \$ 28.10 |
| Balance Education Fund, May 1, 1917 | 591.48 |
| Balance Sustentation Fund, May 1, 1917 | 1,325,28 |
| Balance Diocesan Expense, May 1, 1917 | 3,661.14 |
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| Total | \$13,437.96 |

DISBURSEMENTS.

| Diocesan Expense to: | |
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| G. S. Burrows, Secretary\$ 200.00 | |
| W. North, Secretary 79.00 | |
| W. E. Moore, Treasurer | |
| Rent, See House 600.00 | |
| General Board Religious Education 327.00 | |
| G. T. Ballachey, (assessments for Church Pen- | |
| sion Fund) 196.03 | |
| Bishop's Traveling Expenses (Bishop Olmsted) 141.81 | |
| Joint Com. Social Service 297.09 | |
| Spendelow Printing Co 704.88 | |
| Rent, Archives Room 55.60 | |
| Bishop's Funeral Expenses, (notices, etc.) 1,419.03 | |
| Bishop Olmsted, Honorarium | |
| E. J. Babcock, Pension | |
| G. T. Le Boutillier, Pension | |
| Special Cheque Books, S. W. Co | |
| Light, Archives Room 24.35 | |
| G. W. Ayres, Bishop's Expenses | |
| W. North, Postage and Express | |
| Bond, G. T. Ballachey 12.50 | |
| Millington & Lockwood, Pen. Fund Books and | |
| Stationery 31.25 | |
| Expenses, C. M. Sills, Notice to Dr. Manning. 22.75 | |
| Council Services, W. F. Klingender 20.00 | |
| Western Union Tel. Co | |
| News Pub. Co | |
| Jones Iron Works, Standard for Pastoral Staff 5.99 | |
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| Sustentation Fund to: | |
| E. H. Martin | |
| C. C. Gove 111.95 | |
| E. R. Bennett | |
| D. L. Leach | |
| C. W. Hakes 27.98 | |
| J. H. Herendeen 83.96 | |
| F. A. Ransom 308.63 | |
| J. H. Parsons 55.97 | |
| W. C. Compton 55.97 | |
| H. L. Marvin | |
| L. L. Buisch 27.97 | |
| W. S. McCoy | |
| F. A. Rice | |
| 1'. A. 100C 100.70 | 1,415.55 |
| Balance, Dec. 31, 1917, Education Fund \$ 614.08 | 1,110.00 |
| Balance, Dec. 31, 1917, Education Fund 614.06 Balance, Dec. 31, 1917, Sustentation Fund 621.94 | |
| Balance, Dec. 31, 1917, Diocesan Expense 3,187.19 | |
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Treasurer.

| Balance, Dec. 31, 1917, Episcopate | 6,876.31 |
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| Total | \$13,437.96 |

Respectfully submitted,
WILLARD E. MOORE,

Report of the Archdeacon of Buffalo

JOURNAL OF ARCHDEACON AYRES From May 1, 1917 to December 10, 1917

May 1.—Gowanda. Holy Communion and Sermon. Baptized three infants... One churching. Met Confirmation Class.

May 2.—Buffalo. Bishop Walker passed away.

May 3.—Angola. Met Confirmation Class. Holy Communion, private. Brant; funeral.

May 4.—Buffalo. Bishop Walker's funeral.

May 6.—Depew. Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon. Sunday School. Corfu: Evening Prayer and Sermon. Darien: Evening Prayer and Sermon. Depew: Evening Prayer and Sermon.

May 8.—Buffalo. Missionary Board Meeting.

May 9.—Williamsville. Calls.

May 10.—Angola. Confirmation Class. Private Communion. Holy Baptism.

May 11.—Buffalo. See House.

May 12.—Darien. Sick Calls. Conference.

May 13.—Angola. Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon. Sunday School.

May 15.—Annual Council.

May 16.—Annual Council.

May 17.—Darien. Made Calls.

May 18.—Rochester. Funeral of Rev. Mr. Hart.

May 19.—Buffalo. Hospital.

May 20.—Williamsville. Holy Communion and Sermon. Angola. Flag Raising.

May 21.—Buffalo. Hospital.

May 24.—Springville. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Conference.

May 26.—Sinclairville. Holy Communion.

May 27.—Sinclairville. G. A. R. Service. Sunday School.

May 31.—Bolivar. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

June 1.—Bolivar. Holy Communion. Hinsdale: Evening Prayer and sermon. Franklinville: Evening Prayer and Sermon.

June 3.—Depew. Holy Communion. Depew: Evening Prayer and Sermon. Corfu: Holy Communion. Darien: Evening Prayer and Holy Communion.

June 4.—Williamsville. Conference.

June 5.-Buffalo Council. Elected Dr. Manning.

June 6.—Brant. Funeral.

June 7.—Angola. Confirmation Lecture. June 7.—Brant. Confirmation Lecture.

June 8.—Buffalo. Funeral Mr. W. H. D. Barr.

June 9.—Springville. Confirmation, Bishop Olmsted.

June 10.—Gowanda. Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon.

June 10.—Hamburg. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Sunday School.

June 11.-Buffalo. Clerus.

June 13.—Angola. Evening Prayer. Confirmation.

June 14.-Buffalo. Marriage.

June 15.—Angola. Funeral, Burial at Forest Lawn.

June 16.—Depew. Calls.

June 17.—Angola. Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon. Brant: Evening Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon. Depew: Evening Prayer. Flag Raising.

June 18.—Buffalo. Ordination, Brown, Nixon, Borton and Sager.

June 19.—Gowanda. Evening Prayer and Confirmation.

June 20.—Brant. Evening Prayer and Confirmation.

June 21.—Springville.

June 22.—Springville.

June 23.—Niagara Falls, De Veaux College.

June 24.—Williamsville. Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon. Brant: Evening Prayer and Sermon and Holy Communion.

June 25.—Buffalo. Lodge.

June 28.—Bolivar.

June 28.—Franklinville. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

June 29.—Hinsdale. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

June 29.—Angola. Funeral.

July 1.—Depew. Holy Communion. Hamburg: Holy Communion and Sermon; Darien: Holy Communion and Sermon. Corfu: Holy Communion and Sermon. Depew: Evening Prayer and Sermon.

July 5.—Rochester. Council; Elected Dr. Mann.

July 6.-Williamsville. Calls.

July 7.—Sinclairville. Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon. Sunday School. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

July 10.—Buffalo. Missionary Board Meeting.

July 11.—Ingleside Home. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

July 12.—Hospital Calls.

July 15.—Gowanda. Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon. Sunday School. Hamburg: Evening Prayer and Sermon. State Asylum: Evening Prayer.

July 17.—Bolivar.

July 18.—Hinsdale. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

July 19.—Franklinville. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

July 19.—Baptism.

July 20.—Buffalo. Examination of Rev. Mr. Nixon.

July 22.—Angola. Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon. Sunday School. Brant: Evening Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon. Baptized two children.

July 25.—Brant. Cottage Service.

July 26.—Buffalo. Private Communion. From July 26 to Aug. 26, Vacation.

Aug. 26.—Williamsville. Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon. Sunday School.

Aug. 30.—Hinsdale. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Sunday School.

Aug. 30.—Franklinville. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Sept. 2.—Depew. Holy Communion. Evening Prayer. Hamburg: Holy Communion and Sermon. Darien: Holy Communion and Sermon. Corfu: Holy Communion and Sermon.

Sept. 5.—Brant. Cottage Service.

Sept. 6.—Darien. Calls.

Sept. 8.—Chautaugua. Conference.

Sept. 9.—Sinclairville. Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon. Sunday School. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Sept. 11.—Buffalo. Missionary Board Meeting.

Sept. 12.-Angola. Calls.

Sept. 12.—Brant. Prayer Meeting. Randolph: Funeral.

Sept. 13.—Buffalo. Bishop's Monument.

Sept. 16.—Angola. Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon. Sunday School.

Sept. 16.—Brant. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Williamsville: Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Sept. 17.—Wedding Anniversary.

Sept. 19.—Brant. Prayer Meeting.

Sept. 20.—Indian Fair.

Sept. 23.—Gowanda. Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon. Sunday School.

Sept. 23.—Hamburg. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Sept. 24.—Brant. Funeral. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Sept. 26.—Woman's Auxiliary.

Sept. 27.—Angola. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Conference.

Sept. 28.-Corfu. Calls.

Sept. 29.—Bolivar. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Sept. 29.—Angelica. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Sept. 30.—Angelica. Holy Communion and Sermon.

Sept. 30.—Belfast. Holy Communion and Sermon.

Sept. 30,-Hinsdale. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Sept. 30.—Franklinville. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Oct. 2.—Buffalo. Council; Elected Bishop Brent.

Oct. 3.-Brant. Evening Prayer and Address.

Oct. 5.—Depew. Calls.

Oct. 6.—Buffalo. Baptism.

Oct. 7.—Depew. Holy Communion. Williamsville: Holy Communion. Sunday School. Darien: Holy Communion. Corfu: Holy Communion. Depew: Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Oct. 8.—Buffalo. Reception at All Saints' Church.

Oct. 9.—Alexander.

Oct. 10.-Buffalo. Ingleside Home. Reception.

Oct. 11.—Wellsville. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Conference.

Oct. 12.—Wellsville. Holy Communion. Hinsdale: Calls.

Oct. 14.-Irving. Holy Communion. Silver Creek: Holy Communion. Forestville: Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon.

Oct. 14.—Brant. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Sinclairville: Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Oct. 15.—Depew. Combined Meeting of Guilds.

Oct. 16-Buffalo. Executive Committee of Laymen's League.

Oct. 18.—Williamsville. Calls.

Oct. 20.—Wedding in Buffalo. Springville: Holy Communion.

Oct. 21.—Ellicottville. Holy Communion. Sunday School. Springville: Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Oct. 24.—Gowanda. Deferred to Nov. 1, 1917.

Oct. 26.—Buffalo. Annual Meeting of Laymen's League.

Oct. 27.—Bolivar. Evening Prayer and Holy Communion. gelica: Evening Prayer.

Oct. 28.—Angelica. Holy Communion. Belfast. Holy Communion. Hinsdale: Evening Prayer and Sermon. Franklinville: Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Nov. 1.—Gowanda. Holy Communion.

Nov. 4.—Depew. Holy Communion. Williamsville: Holy Communion and Sermon. Darien: Holy Communion and Sermon. Corfu: Evening Prayer and Sermon. Depew: Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Nov. 5.—Buffalo. Funeral of Gen. H. C. Hodges.

Nov. 6.—Election Day.

Nov. 7.—Perry. Funeral.

Nov. 8.-Wellsville. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Conference.

Nov. 9.—Allentown. Holy Communion and Sermon. Baptism.

Nov. 11.—Irving. Holy Communion and Sermon. Silver Creek. Holy Communion and Sermon. Forestville. Holy Communion and Sermon. Reservation. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Sinclairville. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Nov. 12.—Sinclairville. Holy Communion.

Nov. 13.-Buffalo. Missionary Board Meeting.

Nov. 18.—Springville. Holy Communion. Ellicottville. Communion and Sermon. Sunday School. Springville. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Nov. 21.—Alexander.

Nov. 22.—Angelica. Funeral.

Nov. 23.—Bolivar. Holy Communion and Sermon.

Nov. 24.—Angelica. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Nov. 25.—Angelica. Holy Communion. Hinsdale. Prayer and Sermon. Franklinville. Evening Prayer and Sermon.
Nov. 26.—Left for Staatsburg. Funeral of Mother-in-law.
Nov. 29.—Angola. Wedding. Rev. Mr. Clark officiated.

Dec. 4.-Returned home.

Dec. 5.—Dr. Jewett called; heart trouble. Will remain at home until better.

Dec. 9.—No service by me today at Irving, Silver Creek, Forestville, Sinclairville.

Report of the Treasurer

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JOHN W. CRAFTS, Treasurer.

Report of the Archdeucon of Rochester

(For eight months ending Dec. 31, 1917.)

To the Rt. Rev. Chas. H. Brent, D. D., Bishop of the Diocese, and Brethren of the Clergy and Laity.

The past eight months have in many ways been trying ones for the work in the rural communities which constitute so large a part of the jurisdiction of your General Missionary.

The unusual severity of the weather and lack of fuel has made it necessary to close temporarily some of our mission churches, while the urgent necessity and supreme task laid upon our country of organizing and equipping an army to "Go up to the help of the Lord against the mighty," has for the time being claimed much of the interest and money heretofore given to church extension, and to the less romantic task of "Keeping the home fires burning."

Then, too, the curtailment of train service has made it difficult to serve as many points in a given time as heretofore. For these and other reasons there has been a falling off in the number of baptisms, confirmations and services.

Many of our communicants in the smaller towns have been drawn to the city through the allurements of larger wages and an abundance of work, while others in response to their country's call have gone into training camps and some to the trenches in France.

Yet in spite of these handicaps, progress has been made. One new town appears in the list of missions and although one has been lost from our working force three have been added, and the mission field is perhaps better served today than for some time past. Yet, as has been intimated, there has been a marked decrease in the amount of money given towards its support.

These and other things must be considered in reviewing the record of the past eight months. The conditions as set forth in my previous reports, still prevail, and it is not necessary to restate them here.

Services are now regularly held at Shortsville, Manchester, Fairport, East Rochester, Caledonia, Holcomb, Holley, Montour Falls, St. George's, Rochester, Hunts, and at Dalton, a new mission in Livingston County.

Occasional services have been held at Dundee, Himrods, Dresden, Wolcott, Nunda and Spencerport.

At Bradford services are held during the summer by the Rector of Hammondsport, and at Sodus Point by the clergy in residence at the "Rest-House."

Mr. Squire Schofield, who recently came to us from the Methodist Church, is serving the new mission at Dalton in connection with Hunts and Nunda.

The Rev. Mr. Van Allen has charge of our work among the deafmutes whom he serves most acceptably.

Personally, I have served at Dundee, Dresden, Himrods, East Rochester, Hunts, Nunda, Dalton, Spencerport, Wolcott, Sodus Point and Shortsville. Shortsville has also had the services of 'the Rev. Mr. Brown of Phelps and Mr. Rayner, a lay reader from Hobart College. I have held seventy-four services, have baptized six and presented for confirmation. I have officiated at one marriage and ten funerals.

Aside from the above official acts I have served in many ways and varying capacities.

Last May a newly constructed modern house was purchased in East Rochester to be used as a rectory when needed, at present it is rented to good advantage and is paying for itself. The Church in East Rochester has lost several members through their removal to the city, and two are in the service of their country. We have had some a ditions so that our number is about the same. At other points the work remains much as it was a year ago and must of necessity so remain for with rare exceptions there is no growth in the smaller towns of the State.

The Treasurer's report which follows, shows that we are still solvent although the amount received has not been as large as in a like previous period.

Trusting that the coming year may have for the work greater things in store, I am,

Faithfully yours,

W. L. DAVIS, Archdeacon of Rochester.

Jan. 1st, 1918.

SUMMARY OF TREASURER'S REPORT.

May 1st, 1917, to January 1st, 1918.

May 1, 1917 to Dec. 31, 1917—

| Amount on hand Commont Thursday 01 470 00 | |
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| Amount on hand, Current Funds\$1,479.02 | |
| Building Fund from Advent Offerings 500.00 | |
| Trust Fund, Sou. Greece Mission | |
| Received from Permanent Fund 667.07 | |
| Received from Bishop Walker Fund 50.00 | |
| Received from Bank Interest | |
| Received from S. S. Advent Offerings 48.07 | |
| Offerings from Parishes and Missions 1,876.09 | |
| Offerings for Deaf Mute Work 70.50 | |
| | \$4.869.75 |
| May 25, East Rochester, Rectory Payment \$ 500.00 | 4 1,000 |
| Salary of Archdeacon, 9 months | |
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| Missionary Stipends, 8 months | |
| Mite Boxes, distribution, printing, etc 16.66 | |
| Pension Fund Payments for 11 months 236.14 | |
| | 4,035.59 |
| | |
| On hand | \$ 834.16 |

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT C. WALKER.

Treasurer.

Report of Missionary to Deaf Mutes

To the Bishop and Council of the Diocese of Western New York:

The Missionary to the Deaf respectfully submits the following report for the year beginning January 1, 1917, and ending December 31, 1917:

Services have been held as follows: In Buffalo, 11; in Rochester, 10; in Geneva, 9; in Corning, 2; total, 32; other Prayer Book Services, 3; grand total of services, 35. Of these services 10 were public celebrations of the Holy Communion and one a private celebration for the sick.

The mission in Rochester has held eight literary and social meetings, at the majority of which I have been present and at one of which I gave a stereopticon lecture. This mission also held an outing at one of the city parks during the summer and many deaf people from out of the city were present. In Buffalo the Missionary has been trying to inaugurate monthly social meetings of the mission, with somewhat dubious success so far. However, at the last meeting, when he gave a stereopticon lecture, there was an attendance of twenty-five, which is encouraging.

There has been one baptism, that of an infant, in Buffalo; there has been one marriage, at Phelps, the Rev. Dr. Berry, of Geneva, officiating; and there has been one burial, at Corning, the Rev. Mr. Farland officiating.

I have made special visits to Albion, Canandaigua and Watkins, at the latter place assisting in securing the admission of an old lady to a home for the aged. In Rochester I have given a great deal of attention to the case of a deaf and blind man, a communicant of the Church. I have been much interested in the school for the deaf in Rochester, and have been a frequent visitor, always being received with much kindness. In June I attended the annual reunion of the graduates. I have done considerable house to house visiting, both in Buffalo and Rochester. My notes show that during the year I have had interviews with eighty-five persons, either at their homes, or at church, before or after service.

I regret that I am unable to submit a much more favorable financial report than last year. My receipts have been: From offerings of the deaf at services, \$70.78; from special gifts, \$9; from St. Paul's, Rochester, for traveling expenses, \$50; total, \$129.78. My expenditures have been: For traveling expenses, \$186.14; for postage, stationery and incidentals, \$15.62; total, \$201.76. There has thus been an excess of expenditures over receipts of \$71.98.

I have now been in charge of the work long enough to be able to speak with some confidence in regard to it. The Church undoubtedly has a definite duty towards, and no small opportunity among, the deaf people within the borders of the Diocese. An excellent foundation has already been laid. The mission in the city of Rochester has a nominal membership of about 60, with a communicant list of 27, and makes a small but regular contribution to Diocesan Missions and to the parish expenses of St. Luke's, besides glving towards the expenses of the Missionary. In Buffalo, conditions are not so satisfactory, but the obstacles could be overcome if the Missionary could give the work there the attention it demands. In Geneva, Corning and elsewhere the

work must remain purely missionary and evangelistic. The difficulties confronting the work are financial. The Missionary receives a stipend of \$400 a year from the Diocese and to this the deaf people can at present be relied on to add \$100. Out of this he must meet the expenses of the work, which in these days of high prices are \$200 a year and will be \$300 if the work is to be done thoroughly and effectively.

I believe that the Diocese ought to devote at least \$600 to this work. Central New York gives, and for years has given, \$700; Albany, by no means a wealthy Diocese, gives \$550; and neither of these Dioceses has crowded centres of population like Buffalo and Rochester. I recognize, however, that this is no time to ask the Mission Boards to assume additional burdens and I therefore make the following suggestion: That the Council appoint a commission of four clergymen and three laymen to take oversight of the work among the deaf; that the Mission Boards pay to the Treasurer of the Commission the grant now made by them for the work among the deaf; that the Commission be authorized to ask for voluntary contributions from parishes and individuals to such an amount as will enable it efficiently to carry on the work; and that the Commission be required to make an annual report to the Council, transmitting a detailed report from the Missionary.

I believe that this plan would go very far towards solving our difficulties. The additional amount to be raised by the Commission will not exceed \$200, but this will constitute the difference between "the little more, and how much it is, and the little less, and what worlds away"; the plan will afford the Missionary the moral support of a definite Diocesan authority behind him; and it will give him someone to whom he can go for direction and advice. Similar commissions organized on precisely these lines exist in Albany and Central New York; and the plan has proved most successful in various other Dioceses, notably in Pennsylvania. I respectfully submit the suggestion to the consideration of the Council.

I believe that the past year has been on the whole, a satisfactory one. There has been a marked and hopeful increase in interest on the part of many as yet outside the Church; the attendance at all services has been good; and the Holy Communion is regularly and reverently received by nearly all our communicants. As far as the attitude of the deaf people is concerned, the outlook for the coming year is very promising.

I cannot close this report without referring to the very great loss which the work and the Missionary have sustained in the death of the Rev. Edward P. Hart, of Rochester. A former teacher of the deaf, a trustee of the school at Rochester, and a man who thoroughly understood and sympathized with the deaf people, he did very much for our mission work in Rochester. He was also the Missionary's constant and generous friend, ready at all times with advice and sympathy, and often with substantial help. His memory will long be most affectionately cherished by the deaf people of Rochester and by myself.

[°] Very respectfully submitted,

H. VAN ALLEN.

(D) Report of the DeCancey Divinity School

To the Board of Religious Education, Diocese of Western New York:

The Reverend Thomas Benjamin Berry, Doctor of Divinity, Warden of the DeLancey Divinity School, passed to his reward on Sunday, May 12th, and was buried from the Church of the Good Shepherd, Buffalo, on Tuesday, May 14th, the interment being in Manlius, N. Y., the following day. The students of the School acted as bearers, the lecturers and the wardens and vestrymen of the Church of the Good Shepherd being honorary bearers.

Dr. Berry was born in Dublin in 1846, educated in King's School, Dublin, became a teacher of deaf-mutes in England and subsequently in New York and in Maryland. Later he studied for the ministry at Cambridge Theological School and was ordained at Christ Church, Rouse's Point, N. Y., on All Saints' Day, 1871. A little later, while acting as missionary in Sioux Falls, S. D., he established in that western country the deaf-mute work, for he was one of the pioneers in the education of the deaf and most expert in the use of the sign language. Returning east Dr. Berry became the first rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Buffalo, and after twenty-one years of faithful service, during which that mission was firmly established and grew into an important parish he became, in 1909, the Warden of the Divinity School

As Warden of the School Dr. Berry was honored by the lecturers and the students. Scholarly in his attainments, a constant reader of new books, he maintained the best traditions of the Church and was ever ready to investigate new fields of learning and to accept new thoughts and methods. A vigorous thinker, holding practical views of religious life, particular about the details of education and the work of the students he became an ideal head of the Divinity School, and both lecturers and students desire to pay high tribute to the memory of the late Warden, whose comradeship stimulated the lecturers, and whose tender care, practical advice, and faithful adherence to duty helped so much to mould and form the characters of the students.

We might wish that it had been God's will that Dr. Berry might have remained with us at least until May 29th, when five of the students, the largest number of DeLancey Divinity School students ever ordained at one time, are to be received into the ministry of this Church in Trinity Church, Geneva, N. Y.

May he find sweet employment in the spacious fields of eternity and joy in the Church Triumphant.

The Warden was not well in March, became seriously ill in April and requested the Rev. Mr. Mosher to carry on the routine work of the School.

During the year 1917, lectures were delivered each month except June, the time of examinations, and during the summer vacation.

The students, seven from this diocese and one from Central New York, have done excellent work in the class-room and much reading under the direction of the lecturers.

The Rev. C. E. Sutton, of the M. E. Church, Chaplain of the Soldiers' Home, Bath, N. Y., entered the School in January, 1918.

On Tuesday, May 15, 1917, Squire Schofield, who came to us from the ministry of the M. E. Church was confirmed in Trinity Church, Buffalo.

On Monday, May 18, 1917, the Rev. John Sagar, a graduate of the School, was ordained priest, and Mr. W. A. Brown and Mr. W. E. Nixon were made deacons in Grace Church, Buffalo.

Many valuable books donated from the private library of our late honored and deeply lamented Bishop have been added to the School Library, and these were being catalogued by the Warden when he was taken ill.

The Trustees of the Parochial Fund are the custodians of the Endowment Fund of the School and the financial report of the School will be found in their report.

Yours most respectfully,
PHILIP W. MOSHER,
Acting for the Warden.

G. F. J. SHERWOOD,
Acting for Board of Religious Education.

(E) Report of the Trustees of DeNeaux School Niagara Falls, New York

January 1, 1918.

To the Bishop and to the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Western New York

The Trustees of De Veaux School respectfully sumbit herewith their report for the year ending December 31, 1917, in compliance with the terms of the charter of the corporation.

During the year the Trustees held seven meetings, with the follow ing record of attendance:

| Rt. Rev. Wm. D. Walker, D. D., PresidentPresent 0 | Absent 0 |
|---|----------|
| Gen. H. C. Hodges, Vice-PresidentPresent 4 | |
| Rev. P. W. Mosher, Secretary | Absent 0 |
| John K. Walker Present 6 | Absent 1 |
| Porter NortonPresent 3 | Absent 4 |
| Rev. Pierre Cushing | Absent 2 |
| Rev. Edward P. HartPresent 1 | |
| de Lancey Rankine | Absent 2 |
| Rev. E. J. Babcock, TreasurerPresent 6 | Absent 1 |

The main items of this report are two: (1) the school; (2) the books of account.

1. In the school boys only are taken.

During the year 1917 there were received on the foundation 32 boys. The average number maintained during the year was twenty-

four. The greatest number in attendance at any one time was twenty-four and the least number was twenty-four. The age of the youngest boy on the foundation was 12 years; that of the oldest 19 years.

During the year the total number of pay pupils received was fortysix, of whom twenty-five were day pupils. The greatest number in attendance at any one time was thirty-seven and the least number twenty-two.

The course of study is that published in the Register and is based on the Elementary and the Academic Syllabus of the New York State Education Department.

2. In the matter of accounts the annexed schedules show: (a) The balance sheet; (b) Interest Bearing Endowment with a list of loans paid and made during the year. Land Contracts and the amount of special endowment funds with the investments of the same; (c) Income Cash Account, Receipts and Disbursements; (d) a list of bonds and mortgages of the General Fund; (e) Strickland Fund; (f) Guarantee Fund; (g) Charles Kennedy Scholarship; (h) Land Contracts; (i) List of real estate owned by the corporation.

During the year 1917 the President, Rt. Rev. Wm. D. Walker, Vice-President Gen. H. C. Hodges and the Rev. Edward P. Hart were removed by death.

Mr. Wm. E. Morgan was elected by the Diocesan Council as a member of the Board of Trustees and the Rt. Rev. Chas. H. Brent, Bishop of the Diocese was appointed by the Trustees to take the place made vacant by the death of Bishop Walker. This appointment was confirmed by the Standing Committee of the Diocese.

The income of the School for the year 1917 was \$31,355.80; the largest income that the school has had in its history.

Respectfully submitted,
PHILIP WHEELER MOSHER,
Secretary.

Annual Report

SCHEDULE A.

BALANCE SHEET ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1917. RESOURCES.

| Fixed Endowment | \$166,325.80 |
|--|--------------|
| Domain (137.58 acres)\$ 55,000.00 | |
| Buildings 94,000.00 | |
| Furniture and Fixtures | |
| Interest Bearing Endowment | 256,247.03 |
| General Fund—Bonds and Mortgages\$219,719.60 | |
| Land Contracts | |
| Uninvested Funds 15,615.83 | |
| Strickland Fund 7,850.40 | |
| Charles Kennedy Scholarship | |
| Guarantee Fund, O. B. A. of De V. C 3,565.00 | |
| Reed Military Medal Fund 160.00 | |
| Reed Mifitary Medal Fund | 3,096.80 |

| | aster's Cash\$ 400.00 Hand | |
|-------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| | LIABILITIES. | |
| Endown Notes I | nent\$422,572.88 Payable 3,096.80 | |
| | SCHEDULE B. | |
| | | |
| 1917. | INTEREST BEARING ENDOWMENT. | |
| | Amount of Bonds and Mortgages | \$231,845.00 |
| | LOANS PAID DURING YEAR: | |
| Jan. 7 17 Feb. 24 | No. 743 Thomas E. Hoey \$ 100.00 No. 669 E. H. Henning 1,700.00 No. 716 Winifred B. Williams 500.00 | |
| Apr. 4 | No. 814 Bernice Rozan | |
| May 15 | No. 695 E. D. Pendergast | |
| 31 | No. 769 Bridget Burns 300.00 | |
| June 1 | No. 784 Bertha M. Brandt 100.00 No. 610 Walter G. Binkley 1,000.00 No. 746 Purley B. Whistler 125.00 No. 811 D. J. Mahoney 500.00 | |
| 30 July 3 | No. 655 Thos. Gorman 1,500.00 No. 691 Thos. Gorman 200.00 No. 802 Duane E. Belden (2) 1,000.00 | |
| 17 19 21 | No. 633 J. P. Langs 1,800.00 No. 814 Bernice Rozan 2,000.00 No. 716 Winifred B. Williams 500.00 | |
| Aug. 12 | No. 789 Wm. M. Houston | |
| Nov. 1 | No. 716 Winifred B. Williams 500.00 | |
| 9 | No. 745 Geo. N. Malouf 1,500.00 | |
| 22 | No. 769 Bridget Burns 300.00 | 00 555 00 |
| Reducing | Bonds and Mortgage to | \$22,775.00 \$209,070.00 |
| | LOANS MADE DURING YEAR: | |
| 1917 | | |
| Apr. 23 | Peter Foster \$ 400.00 | |
| May 23 June 8 | Austin & Hamlin 849.60 Jane E. Adams 300.00 | |
| July 1 | A. L. Chapin 4,000.00 | |
| Sept. 1 | A. L. Chapin | |
| Dec. 28 | Christian Klay | 10.040.55 |
| | | 10,649.60 |
| Dec. 31 | General Fund Bond and Mortgages | \$219,719.60 |

| | LAND CONTRACTS. | | |
|---------------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|-------------|
| 1917. Jan. 1 | Contracts in force\$ | 2,071.15 | |
| | PAID DURING YEAR: | | |
| Dec. 31 | Harry S. Miner, No. 813\$ 94.95 Greater Niagara Realty Co., No. 812 | 234.95 | |
| Total La | and Contracts | PROFESSION | \$1,836.20 |
| | STRICKLAND FUND. | | |
| 1917. Jan. 1 | Bonds and Mortgages | 3,700.00 200.00 | |
| Jan. 1 | Uninvested Funds | \$3,500.00 4,150.40 | |
| | _ | \$7,650.40 | |
| | LOANS MADE DURING YEAR | t : | |
| May 26 Dec. 31 | Austin & Hamlin\$4,150.40 Bonds and Mortgages\$ Uninvested Funds | 7,650.40 | \$ 7,850.40 |
| | CHARLES KENNEDY SCHOLARSHI | P FUND. | |
| 1917. Jan. 1 June 13 Dec. 31 | Payment of Loan\$1,000.00 | 7,500.00 6,500.00 1,000.00 | |
| | Total Fund | | 7,500.00 |
| | | | |
| 1015 | GUARANTEE FUND. | | |
| 1917. Jan. 1 Dec. 31 | Bonds and Mortgages\$ Uninvested Funds | 3,300.00 265.00 | |
| Jan. 1 | Bonds and Mortgages | 3,3 00.00 265.00 | 3,565.00 |
| Jan. 1 | Bonds and Mortgages\$ Uninvested Funds | 265.00 | 3,565.00 |

| GENERAL C | ASH | FUND. |
|-----------|-----|-------|
|-----------|-----|-------|

| Jan. 1 Dec. 31 Dec. 31 | Cash on Hand | | |
|------------------------------|--|--|----------------------------|
| | | 23,009.95 | |
| Dec. 31 | Loans made as above | \$26,265.43 10,649.60 | |
| | Cash Uninvested | | 15,615.83 |
| | Total Interest Bearing Endowment Fixed Endowment | | \$256,247.03 166,325.80 |
| | Total Endowment | | \$422,572.83 |
| | SCHEDULE C. | | |
| | INCOME CASH ACCOUNT. | | |
| | RECEIPTS. | | |
| 1917. Jan. 1 Dec. 31 | Balance on Hand Interest Rent Payment from Pupils Sale School Supplies: Foundationers Pay Pupils Repayment of Taxes O. B. A. of De V. C. Sales from Domain Damage Claims Gifts Refunds State Educational Dept. | | 31,355.80 |
| | Notes Payable | | \$ 31,949.50 2,237.00 |
| | Total Receipts | | \$34,186.50 |
| All and agent | DISBURSEMENTS. | | |
| | Maintenance of Trust: Repairs Insurance Taxes Appraisals Salaries | \$ 57.87 34.97 129.30 14.00 850.00 | |

Office Expenses
Trustees' Expenses
Incidental Expenses

 $263.09 \\ 24.75 \\ 20.00$

1,393.98

| | | Immercania and Datterments. | | | |
|------|-----|--|---------------------|----|-----------|
| | | Improvements and Betterments: | | | 001.05 |
| | | Maintenance of School and Pupils: | | | 321.25 |
| | | | 1 759 09 | | |
| | | Repairs and Insurance\$ | 1,752.03 30.05 | | |
| | | Library and Apparatus Furniture and Fixtures | 955.53 | | |
| | | | | | |
| | | Salaries and Wages | 9,265.78 | | |
| | | Food Heat and Light | 7,629.36 $2,623.42$ | | |
| | | Office and General | 493.18 | | |
| | | | 1.730.08 | | |
| | | School Supplies | 1,582.86 | | |
| | | Incidentals | 1,203.91 | | |
| | | Interest | 254.91 | | |
| | | Interest | 204.31 | | 27.521.12 |
| | | Disbursements for Foundationers: | | | 21,021.12 |
| | | Clothing | 481.49 | | |
| | | Cash Allowances | 87.32 | | |
| | | Drugs and Doctors | 133.34 | | |
| | | Dentists and Oculists | 257.27 | | |
| | | Delitists and Octalists | 201.21 | | 959.42 |
| | | Disbursements for Pay Pupils | | | 1.113.58 |
| | | Notes Pavable\$ | 2,650.00 | | 1,110.00 |
| | | Head Master's Cash | 200.00 | | |
| | | area areas of the second secon | | | 2,850.00 |
| | | Total Disbursements | | \$ | 34,159.35 |
| Dec. | 31 | Cash on Hand | | Ψ | 27.15 |
| 200. | 0.1 | Cubit Oil Maid IIIII | | _ | |
| | | Bank Balance | | \$ | 34,186.50 |
| Dec. | 31 | Total Disbursements\$ | 34.159.35 | т | , |
| | | Less Unpaid Voucher No. 222 | 1.00 | | |
| | | - | | | |
| | | | \$34,158.35 | | |
| | | | 28.15 | | |
| | | - | | | |
| | | | \$34,186.50 | | |
| | | | | | |

Bank Certificates

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Jan. 25, 1918.

WE HEREBY CERTIFY that the balance in the Niagara Falls Trust Company to the credit of De Veaux School—Principal Account—at the close of business on Dec. 31, 1917, was Thirteen Thousand Nine Hundred Nine Dollars and Ninety-five Cents (\$13,909.95).

FELIX M. WOOLWORTH, Secretary.

WE HEREBY CERTIFY that the balance in the Niagara Falls Trust Company to the credit of De Veaux School—Income Account—at the close of business on Dec. 31, 1917, was Twenty-eight Dollars and Fifteen Cents (\$28.15).

FELIX M. WOOLWORTH, Secretary.

WE HEREBY CERTIFY that the balance in the Niagara Falls Trust Company to the credit of De Veaux School—Guarantee Fund—at the close of business on Dec. 31, 1917, was Two Hundred Sixty-five Dollars (\$265.00).

FELIX M. WOOLWORTH, Secretary.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 21, 1918.

THE FIDELITY TRUST COMPANY OF BUFFALO hereby certifies that there was on deposit to the credit of De Veaux College, Strickland Fund, at close of business Dec. 31, 1917, the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00).

WALTER L. CURTISS, Secretary.

THE FIDELITY TRUST COMPANY OF BUFFALO hereby certifies that there was on deposit to the credit of De Veaux College, at close of business as of December 31, 1917, the sum of \$1,705.88, Seventeen Hundred Five and 88/100 Dollars.

WALTER L. CURTISS Secretary.

THE FIDELITY TRUST COMPANY OF BUFFALO hereby certifies that there was on deposit to the credit of Chas. Kennedy Scholarship Fund at close of business as of Dec. 31, 1917, the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00).

WALTER L. CURTISS, Secretary.

THE FIDELITY TRUST COMPANY OF BUFFALO hereby certifies that there was on deposit to the credit of De Veaux College, Reed Military Medal Fund at close of business as of Dec. 31, 1917, the sum of One Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$160.00).

WALTER L. CURTISS, Secretary.

SCHEDULE D.

BONDS AND MORTGAGES, DECEMBER 31, 1917.

| Number Name | Insurance | Amount |
|--|----------------|----------|
| 495 Charles E. Mabon Farm, Town of Lewiston, N. Y. | \$ 4,710.00 \$ | 1,500.00 |
| 590 Major S. Langs | | 3,000.00 |
| 596 Thomas Andrews Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 2,500.00 | 2,500.00 |
| 598 Elizabeth Miller Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 1,500.00 | 300.00 |
| 611 M. E. Cooley | | 600.00 |
| 614 Mary Landreth Farm, Town of Niagara, N. Y. | | 1,500.00 |
| 616 August Reickhoff Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 5,100.00 | 1,100.00 |
| 627 Frank Budde | 1,500.00 | 200.00 |
| 635 Frank A. Dudley Three lots, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 6,900.00 | 2,800.00 |

| 636 | Patrick J. Maloney Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 1,200.00 | 755.00 |
|------------|---|----------|--------------------|
| 638 | Jennie Reisig | 2,000.00 | 600.00 |
| 639 641 | Same as No. 614 above Nancy J. Zimmerman | 1,300.00 | 2,500.00 250.00 |
| 643 | Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Same as No. 641 above | 1,000.00 | 125.00 |
| 644 646 | Same as No. 638 above | 0 500 00 | 200.00 |
| | Maria Murphy Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 3,500.00 | 3,500.00 |
| 647 | Ann Killian Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 1,400.00 | 1,450.00 |
| 649 | Eugene Cary | | 3,500.00 |
| 650 | Elizabeth M. Lynch | 1,500.00 | 3,500.00 |
| 652 | Emma Speicher | 4,000.00 | 5,000.00 |
| 656 | Edwin D. Johnson | 3,000.00 | 1,800.00 |
| 657 658 | Same as No. 656 above | | $900.00 \\ 400.00$ |
| 662 | Same as No. 638 above | 500.00 | 1,350.00 |
| 671 | Mary J. Read | | 425.00 |
| 672 | Mrs. George G. Shepard | 2,800.00 | 2,500.00 |
| 673 | Mrs. Walter P. Horne Two lots, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 4,000.00 | 3,000.00 |
| 676 | Catherine O. Mumford | 2,000.00 | 2,000.00 |
| 679 686 | Same as No. 627 above | 1,900.00 | 300.00 800.00 |
| 689 | Mary B. Witmer | | 1,800.00 |
| 696 | Thomas G. Stoddard | | 1,800.00 |
| 699 | Frank Prozaczynski | 3,000.00 | 3,000.00 |
| 704 | Nettie M. Wright Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 1,500.00 | 2,000.00 |
| 705 | Margaret Hannan | 1,700.00 | 1,400.00 |
| 707 | Caroline S. Harvey | 3,000.00 | 2,500.00 |
| 708 | De Lancey Rankine, Trustee Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 3,000.00 | 1,500.00 |
| 710 | Christian Schumacher Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 2,000.00 | 2,000.00 |
| 714 | Rachel M. Clark Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 4,200.00 | 3,500.00 |

| 715 | Carmine Crocano | 3,400.00 | 1,400.00 |
|------------|---|-----------|--------------------|
| 110 | Two lots, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 3,400.00 | 1,400.00 |
| 716 | Winifred B. Williams Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 10,000.00 | 5,000.00 |
| 720 | Richard Russell | 2,750.00 | 3,000.00 |
| 727 | John P. Langs | | 1,000.00 |
| 728 | William N. Candee Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 4,000.00 | 2,500.00 |
| 731 | Same as No. 686 above | | 600.00 |
| 735 | Margaret E. Benham Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 4,000.00 | 4,000.00 |
| 736 | William J. Mackay Farm, Town of Niagara, N. Y. | 1,900.00 | 3,000.00 |
| 737 | Letitia Hilliard | 5,000.00 | 1,800.00 |
| 739 | Peter Foster Two lots, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 3,000.00 | 3,000.00 |
| 740 | Dennis Greene | 1,000.00 | 600.00 |
| 741 | Margaret T. Creedon | 3,000.00 | 600.00 |
| 743 | Thomas Hoey | 1,500.00 | 700.00 |
| 744 | Mary Canavan Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 2,400.00 | 2,500.00 |
| 745 | George N. Malouf | 5,500.00 | 3,000.00 |
| 748 | Ida L. Mabon | | 1,050.00 |
| 749 | Mrs. Reuben A. Taylor | 2,000.00 | 2,500.00 |
| 750 | Two lots, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 4,500.00 | 2,150.00 |
| 751 | Augustus Thibaudeau | 17,500.00 | 13,000.00 |
| 752 | Mahala C. McCulloh Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 3,500.00 | 3,500.00 |
| 755 | Nellie T. O'Donnell | | 1,000.00 |
| 756 763 | Same as No. 686 above | 11,600.00 | 120.00 3,500.00 |
| 764 | Same as No. 616 above | | 2,300.00 |
| 768 | Estate of Maria M. Hager Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 4,200.00 | 1,500.00 |
| 769 | Bridget Burns | 4,000.00 | 1,400.00 |
| 771 | Alexander P. Archer Lot. Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 4,000.00 | 3,000.00 |
| 773 | Norma E. Hoyos | 6,000.00 | 4,000.00 |
| 775 | Bessie W. Findlay Two lots, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 5,000.00 | 5,000.00 |

| 776 | Alice Gobeille | 3,000.00 | 2,500.00 |
|------------|--|-----------|------------------|
| 777 | John J. Hanrahan | 15,000.00 | 12,000.00 |
| 778 | Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Joseph Critelli Two lots, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 1,300.00 | 1,200.00 |
| 779 | Mabel I. Schepeler | 1,600.00 | 970.00 |
| 780 | Jacob Brunswick | 2,000.00 | 600.00 |
| 782 | Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Eugene Gow Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 3,000.00 | 1,050.00 |
| 783 | Gustaf Thorstedt | 3,000.00 | 2,125.00 |
| 784 | Bertha M. Brandt | 3,000.00 | 600.00 |
| 785 | Marcus M. Beeman | 6,000.00 | 5,000.00 |
| 786 788 | Same as No. 775 above | 500.00 | 500.00 400.00 |
| 790 | Robert S. Hambleton | 3,000.00 | 1,000.00 |
| 791 | Daniel Reickhoff | | 1,000.00 |
| 792 | William Spillane | 3,000.00 | 3,000.00 |
| 793 | Guy Swalwell | 1,500.00 | 1,200.00 |
| 794 | Jesse A. Lodge | 5,000.00 | 1,500.00 |
| 798 | James McLeod | 2,500.00 | 1,950.00 |
| 799 | Mary C. Condon Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 2,500.00 | 1,700.00 |
| 800 | Howard E. Moxham Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 1,800.00 | 1,200.00 |
| 801 | James R. Proctor Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 2,000.00 | 1,200.00 |
| 803 | Two lots, La Salle, N. Y. | 4,000.00 | 4,000.00 |
| 805 | Fred Whitacre Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 1,200.00 | 1,200.00 |
| 806 | Maurice O'Brien | 4,000.00 | 4,000.00 |
| 807 | James P. Mumford Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 800.00 | 300.00 |
| 808 | Thomas J. Buyers | 1,500.00 | 1,150.00 |
| 809 | Jane E. Adams Same as No. 795 above. | | 500.00 |
| 810 | John F. McDonald | 8,000.00 | 7,000.00 |
| 811 | Daniel J. Mahoney Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 4,000.00 | 3,500.00 |
| 815 | Lotta Dabrowski Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 3,000.00 | 2,150.00 |

| 816 | Anna M. Hart | 1,300.00 | 400.00 |
|-----|--|-----------|--------------|
| 317 | Lot, Lockport, N. Y. Austin and Hamlin | 3,500.00 | 849.60 |
| 318 | Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Jane E. Adams | | 300.00 |
| 19 | Same as No. 795 above. Al Chapin | 8,000.00 | 8,000.00 |
| 320 | Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Christian Klay Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 3,000.00 | 1,100.00 |
| | Bonds and Mortgages, General Fund | | \$219,719.60 |
| | SCHEDULE E. | | |
| | STRICKLAND FUND—BONDS AND | MORTGAGES | S. |
| Nun | nber Name | Insurance | Amount |
| 348 | Maria Murphy | | \$ 500.00 |
| 795 | Same as No. 646 above. Jane E. Adams\$ Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 3,000.00 | 2,500.00 |
| 797 | Same as No. 795 Austin and Hamlin | | 500.00 |
| 317 | Austin and Hamlin Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | | 4,150.40 |
| | Total Account | | \$7,650.40 |
| | SCHEDULE F. | | |
| | GUARANTEE FUND—BONDS AND I | MORTGACES | |
| Nun | | | |
| 753 | | 5,250.00 | \$ 3,000.00 |
| 796 | | ** | 300.00 |
| | Total Amount | | \$3,300.00 |
| | SCHEDULE G. | | |
| | CHARLES KENNEDY FUND—BONDS A | ND MORTGA | GES |
| \T | | | Amoun |
| 725 | James M Dick | 1 100 00 | \$ 1,000.00 |
| 730 | Farm, Cheektowaga, N. Y. Cora E. Harroun Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. | 2,000.00 | 2,000.0 |
| 732 | Lot, Niagara Falls, N. Y. Stephen J. Hedges Farm, Colden, N. Y. | | 1,000.0 |
| 770 | | | 1,000.00 |
| | Lottia Reickhoff Same as No. 616 | | |
| 787 | Same as No. 616 Mary Canavan (See 744) | | 1,500.00 |

SCHEDULE H.

LAND CONTRACTS, DECEMBER 31, 1917.

| 766 | Niagara Realty Co\$1,785.00 |
|-----|--|
| | House and lot, 15th St., Niagara Falls, N. Y. |
| 767 | Harry S. Miner 51.20 |
| | Lots 11 and 13, 29th St., Niagara Falls ,N. Y. |

Total Land Contracts\$1,836.20

SCHEDULE I.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—VACANT LOTS. Lots 3, 5, 7, 9, 11 and 13, Block 23, South Side Garden Avenue.

CERTIFICATE OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

We, the undersigned members of the Finance Committee of the Board of Trustees of De Veaux School, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full and accurate report for the year ending December 31, 1917, of the receipts and expenditures, and of the invested funds and property and cash on hand of the aforesaid corporation. That the books of account have been audited by the New York and Buffalo Audit Company and have been found correct, and that this report is made up from such books, and is a true statement as shown by them of the financial condition of the corporation on December 31, 1917.

JOHN K. WALKER, FRANCIS F. BAKER, DE LANCEY RANKINE,

Finance Committee.

Rochester, N. Y., May 4, 1918.

To the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Western New York: Gentlemen:

Your Committee to whom was referred the statement of the Finance Committee of the Board of Trustees of De Veaux College for the year ending December 31, 1917, would respectfully report that, having carefully examined the same, they approve said statement and hereby recommend its acceptance.

ALBERT C. WALKER, SELDEN S. BROWN.

(F) Report of Trustees of Parochial Fund

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Geneva, N. Y., April 18, 1918.

Rev. G. Sherman Burrows, Secretary.

Rev. and Dear Sir:

As Secretary of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York, I make the following report:

The terms of office of A. F. Fidler and Thomas H. Chew, Trustees, expire on the first day of September next.

Through a printer's error it is stated on page 5 of the Journal that the terms of office of Messrs. Fidler and Chew expire in 1920, the correct date being 1918, and it is stated that the terms of office of Messrs. Graves and Brown expire in 1918, the correct date being 1920. (See page 37 of the Journal).

Mr. Henry B. Graves of the term of 1920, has resigned his office, and his resignation is herewith transmitted.

Since our last report we have transferred to the Vestry of St. Paul's Church, Rochester, \$4,500, paid by Mr. Rufus A. Sibley upon a mortgage which we hold upon the property of St. Stephen's Church, Rochester, the same to be used for the erection of a building upon the lot lately purchased by St. Paul's Vestry for St. John's Mission.

Through the termination of litigation we have come into possession of a house and lot in the village of Cuba, Allegany County, and of certain funds (as will appear in the Treasurer's report) for the Kirkpatrick Home for Childless Women, founded under the provisions of the will of the late Mrs. Bell K. Wait.

It has come to our knowledge that the will of Miss Carrie Mitchell, lately deceased, devises to this corporation her farm in the town of Wayne, Steuben County, and certain other property, "in trust to maintain thereon for all time a home for aged, sick and disabled clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church."

Respectfully submitted,

A. P. ROSE, Secretary.

Report of the Treasurer, January 1, 1918

| The several Funds in the hands of the Treasurer, May 1, | |
|---|--------------|
| 1917 | \$202,689.06 |
| The funds have been increased since May 1, 1917 as follows: | |
| Kirkpatrick Home for Childless Women—Belle | |
| K. Waite Estate\$26,441.94 | |
| Rector St. John's, Sodus 100.00 | |
| St. John's, Clifton Springs 500.00 | |
| St. Mark's, Penn Yan | |
| | 27,181.94 |
| · · | \$229,871.00 |

STATEMENT OF FUNDS.

| De Lancey Divinity School | \$62,320.47 |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Permanent Missionary | 38,639.34 |
| Stanley | 8,700.00 |
| Holcomb | 7,400.00 |
| Church for Colored People in Geneva | 3,210.71 |
| Floyd Scholarship | 4,300.00 |
| De Lancey Scholarship | 4,314.00 |
| St. Andrew's, Rochester | 16,000.00 |
| Swift Book | 900.00 |

| St. Peter's, Coal 1,000.00 | |
|---|------------|
| St. Peter's, Rector 5,895.00 | |
| St. Luke's, Branchport | |
| Clerical Support | |
| Centerfield Church | |
| Mary Augusta Dox | |
| Anne N. Dox | |
| John Nicholas | |
| Ruth Ver Planck | |
| James D. Shepard | |
| Sarah Antoinette Jones 6.000.00 | |
| St. Andrew's, Bradford 4,300.00 | |
| Trinity Church, Canaseraga | |
| Caroline Stacey for Deaf Mutes | |
| Rankine Memorial | |
| Trinity Church, Shortsville | |
| Weltha Eleanora Sayre 5,000.00 | |
| Munson 500.00 | |
| Julia McBride | |
| Church Building Fund for Missions | |
| Church of the Epiphany 5,000.00 | |
| St. Mark's Penn Yan | |
| | |
| | |
| St. John's, Clifton Springs 500.00 St. John's, Rector, Sodus 100.00 | |
| | |
| Kirkpatrick Home for Childless Women 26,441.94 | 229,871.00 |
| Statement of the several Funds in account with the Trea | |
| DE LANCEY DIVINITY SCHOOL FUND. | |
| Coch on hand May 1 1017 | \$1,240.42 |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 | 2,065.11 |
| Income | 2,000.11 |
| Orders Board of Education | |
| | |
| Draft for Lectures 700.00 Treasurer's Commissions 162.60 | |
| | |
| Gast Bank Note Co. 23.09 Church Pension Fund 105.00 | |
| Recording Fees and Accrued Interest 138.93 | |
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| ··· - · - · - · · · · · · · · · · · · · | |
| Repairs, Steam, etc., Warden's House 183.57 | |
| \$2,419.69 | |
| Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1918 885.84 | |
| | |
| Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1918 | |
| \$3,305.53 | \$3,305.53 |
| | \$3,305.53 |
| | \$3,305.53 |
| \$3,305.53 PERMANENT MISSIONARY FUND. | |
| \$3,305.53 PERMANENT MISSIONARY FUND. Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 | \$ 10.00 |
| \$3,305.53 PERMANENT MISSIONARY FUND. Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 | |
| \$3,305.53 PERMANENT MISSIONARY FUND. Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 | \$ 10.00 |

| \$ 854.75 Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1918 | |
|--|--------------------|
| \$1,019.74 | \$1,019.74 |
| STANLEY FUND. | |
| Income | \$ 205.94 7.56 |
| \$213.50 HOLCOMB FUND. | \$213.50 |
| Income \$16.72 Treasurer's Commissions \$12.20 Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1918 232.20 | \$248.92 |
| \$248.92 | \$248.92 |
| ANNE N. DOX FUND. | |
| Income | \$6.25 |
| MARY AUGUSTA DOX FUND. | |
| Income | \$12.50 |
| ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, BRANCHPORT. | |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1917. Income C. A. Dowdell \$100.00 Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1918 98.50 | \$ 76.00 122.50 |
| \$198.50 | \$198.50 |
| MISSIONS TO DEAF MUTES' FUND. | |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 | \$25.00 25.19 |
| \$50.19 | \$50.19 |
| RUTH VER PLANCK FUND. | |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 | \$14.70 |
| Income | 2.40 |
| \$17.10 | \$17.10 |

| SARAH ANTOINETTE JONES FUND. | |
|--|------------------------|
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 Income Treasurer's Commissions \$ 16.37 Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1918 187.90 | 5.21 199.06 |
| \$204.27 | \$ 3204.27 |
| ST. PETER'S RECTOR FUND. | |
| Income\$ 16.37Treasurer's Commissions\$ 236.13 | \$ 275.00 |
| Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1918 | |
| \$275.00 | \$ 275.00 |
| ST. PETER'S COAL FUND. | |
| Income | \$ 50.00 |
| CLERICAL SUPPORT FUND. | |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1917. Income Treasurer's Commission \$ 3.87 Cash on hand, May 1, 1918 382.29 | \$ 318.66 67.50 |
| \$386.16 | \$ 386.16 |
| ST. ANDREW'S ROCHESTER FUND. | |
| Income \$ 375.00 H. E. Backus, Treasurer \$ 375.00 Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1918 75.00 | \$ 450.00 |
| \$450.00 | \$ 450.00 |
| JOHN NICHOLAS FUND. | |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 | \$ 45.00 |
| JAMES D. SHEPARD FUND. | |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 Income Treasurer's Commissions \$ 6.00 Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1918 604.99 | \$ 490.99 120.00 |
| \$610.99 | \$ 610.99 |

| JULIA A. McBRIDE FUND. | |
|---|------------------------|
| Income \$ 25.00 | \$ 25.00 |
| RANKINE MEMORIAL FUND. | |
| Income | \$ 150.00 |
| ST. ANDREW'S BRADFORD FUND. | |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 | \$ 215.00 107.50 |
| \$322.50 | \$ 322.50 |
| CENTERFIELD CHURCH FUND. | |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 | \$ 37.50 |
| Income | 37.69 |
| \$75.19 | \$ 75.19 |
| CHÜRCH FOR COLORED PEOPLE IN GENEVA. | |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 | \$ 322.60 |
| Income \$ 7.30 Treasurer's Commissions \$ 447.30 Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1918 447.30 | 132.00 |
| \$454.60 | \$ 454.60 |
| SCHOLARSHIPS FUND. | |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 | \$ 387.18 |
| Income \$ 17.40 Treasurer's Commissions \$ 689.85 Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1918 689.85 | 320.07 |
| \$707.25 | \$ 707.25 |
| MUNSON FUND. | |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 | \$ 110.00 |
| Income J. C. Zimmerman \$ 10.00 Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1918 112.50 | 12.50 |
| \$122.50 | \$ 122.50 |
| TRINITY CHURCH SHORTSVILLE FUND. | |
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 Balance Genesee Valley Trust Co., Jan. 1, 1918 \$ 237.94 | \$ 237.94 |

| WELTHA ELEANORA SAYRE FUND. | |
|--|------------------------|
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1917 Income A. McLeod, Treasurer \$ 250.00 Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1918 125.00 | \$ 250.00 125.00 |
| \$375.00 | \$ 375.00 |
| ST. JOHN'S SODUS FUND. Income | \$.22 |
| ST. MARK'S PENN YAN FUND. | |
| Income | \$ 2.44 |

CERTIFICATE OF AUDITING COMMITTEE.

Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1918 \$

ST. JOHN'S CLIFTON SPRINGS FUND.

The undersigned have examined the report of John W. Mellen as Treasurer of the Parochial Fund for the year ending January 1st, 1918. We find that the securities held by the Treasurer correspond with his statement of the Funds and that he has proper vouchers for the disbursements of the past year.

The Treasurer's commissions of five per cent. of the income from mortgages have been carried forward as a charge against next year's accounts. The amount is \$232.32 and is chargeable as follows:

| · | |
|------------------------------|-------|
| De Lancey Divinity School\$1 | 03.26 |
| Permanent Missionary | 50.49 |
| Stanley | 10.30 |
| Holcomb | 12.45 |
| J. D. Shepard | 6.00 |
| Clerical Support | 3.37 |
| Church for Colored People | 6.60 |
| Scholarships | 16.00 |
| St. Peter's Rector | 13.75 |
| S. A. Jones | 9.95 |
| St. Mark's, Penn Yan | 10 |
| St. John's, Clifton Springs | .05 |

\$232.32

\$ 1.12

Respectfully submitted,

E. B. TILDEN, L. W. KEYES, Auditing Committee.

Geneva, N. Y., April 18, 1918.

(G) Church Pension Fund

To the Eighty-first Annual Council of the Diocese of Western New York:

The Diocesan Committee on the Church Pension Fund takes pleasure in reporting an encouraging year and the general co-operation of the parishes of the Diocese. The statement of the Treasurer of the Committee, appended hereto, indicates a considerable number of delinquent parishes and missions; but many of them have no clergymen and no prospect of any, and do not pay clergymen's salaries. There is therefore, for them, no basis for assessment of premiums. It would seem, however, that even these latter might well manifest their interest in, and support of, The Pension Fund by making annually such contributions as they are able. The ideal is, and the expectation is, that each parish and mission of the Church do its part. In fact, the Church Pension Canon is mandatory and excuses none.

Several of the parishes and missions reported as delinquent have clergymen in charge and are unquestionably able to pay the required premium. The Committee has sent special notices and appeals to them, calling attention to their duty in the matter and the laws governing the Fund. That the list of these parishes is not longer than it is is due to these appeals. Their attention is respectfully called to the fact that their own interests, as well as those of the clergymen and the Fund, demand their co-operation. It is to the advantage of a parish, both materially and spiritually, to be known as one that assumes its premium responsibilities.

The Committee urges the prompt and regular payment of premiums and asks that special attention be given to the request of the Treasurer that the premiums be paid quarterly, in advance. It also calls to mind the following regulations set forth by The Church Pension Fund Corporation:

- 1. Each parish and mission must enter into formal contract with The Church Pension Fund if it would secure its benefits; and must make out the prescribed filing card giving salaries, etc. The necessary forms can be procured of the Secretary of this Committee.
- 2. Each clergyman must make out the proper filing card, giving his personal record, and return to the Secretary of this Committee.
 - 3. The regulation requiring the payment of vacancy assessments been abolished by the Trustees of The Church Pension Fund.
- 4. After February first no assessment need be accepted for the preceding fiscal year. If all of the payments due in a fiscal year are not paid, what has been paid may be returned.
- 5. Assessments cannot be accepted from a parish or other organization except for all the clergy paid by it.
- 6. If a clergyman receives a salary from several sources, all of the sources must pay the assessment during the fiscal year, or what has been received may be returned.
- 7. Interest at the rate of five per cent. is charged upon assessments overdue more than thirty days.
- 8. The Pension assessment system is prescribed in mandatory terms by Canon 56 of the General Convention, and by the canons of the Diocese.

The following statement by the Treasurer is incorporated as a part of the report of this Committee:

REPORT OF THE TREASURER.

To the Diocesan Church Pension Fund Committee: Gentlemen:

On March 1, 1917, assessments upon salaries of clergymen became due, to put into effect the full operations of the Church Pension Fund as planned under the rules of the General Convention.

Our committee for Western New York was not organized until about the middle of April, and the first payment came into my hands on April 25, 1917. Prior to that numerous payments went to the head office in New York City, of which I have been notified and credit has been given upon the individual accounts which I have opened with each parish and clergyman in Western New York. The monies received by our committee have been as follows:

| April, 1917 |
|--|
| May, 1917 1,214.16 |
| June, 1917 733.74 |
| July, 1917 |
| August, 1917 800.64 |
| September, 1917 624.90 |
| October, 1917 |
| November, 1917 911.03 |
| December, 1917 |
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\$7,858.45

These monthly receipts have been forwarded to New York shortly after the close of each month, with a detailed statement as to their source.

As a committee, we have had no material expense. The monthly bills and postage are supplied by the New York office, and the Diocese paid for the bond premium, salary of the Treasurer, and stationery for the committee.

The following are in arrears as of December 31, 1917, and not paid at the date of this report, April 25, 1918:

| Parish | Town | Due from and Including |
|------------------------|--------------|------------------------|
| Church of the Redeemer | Addison | June |
| St .George's | Charlotte | December |
| Trinity | Ripley | September |
| St. Alban's | Silver Creek | October' |
| St. John's | Wellsville | September |

The following have made certain payments, but I have no data upon which to base charges for assessments, and therefore do not know to what date the payments carry:

| Parish | Town |
|-----------------------------|----------|
| Grace . | Belfast |
| St. Philip's | Belmont |
| St. Paul's | Mayville |
| Church of the Redeemer | Rocheste |
| Church of the Good Shepherd | Savona |

From the following we have had no payments and no data upon which to make charges:

Parish Town St. Paul's Angelica Trinity Avon Belvedere Christ Church St. Andrew's Bradford St. Matthew's Buffalo St. Peter's Buffalo St. Philip's Buffalo St. Clement's Buffalo Holy Communion Buffalo Christ Church Cuba Trinity Fredonia St. John's St. Paul's Hammondsport Holley St. Mark's Hunts Church of the Advent Kenmore St. Paul's Lewiston Grace Nunda St. Mark's Orchard Park St. John's St. Mary's Phelps Salamanca St. John's St. Luke's Sodus Sodus Center Christ Church Sodus Point St. John's St. Peter's Wayne Westfield St. Clement's St. John's Wetherfield Springs Youngstown

Presumably many of the above are not actively working, and may not have clergymen in charge. I feel that the Diocese as a whole has made a splendid response to this new method of church finance.

May I say a word to those parishes which have been reasonably prompt in making payments:

Please remember that payments are due in advance, as is an insurance premium.

Payments may be made monthly, but for economy of time and postage it is suggested that they be made quarterly, if financially possible to the parishes.

No receipts are sent for premiums unless specifically requested, as the check itself is a sufficient receipt when returned through the bank.

Be sure to advise our committee of all changes in salary to your clergy, because they affect your Pension Fund assessment.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. T. BALLACHEY,

Treasurer.

Buffalo, N. Y., April 25, 1918.

re-Audit.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 13, 1918.

George T. Ballachey, Esq., Treasurer, Western New York Committee, Church Pension Fund, Buffalo, New York.

I have, as requested, inspected the books covering the above Fund which you turned over to me, and find as indicated that there has been received by you up to and including December 31st, 1917, a total of \$7,858.45, and the total credited to the various parishes for these items equals \$7,858.45.

I further find disbursements payable to Church Pension Fund sent to New York equals...... \$7,805.95

Rochester, N. Y., Draft, payable to J. P. M., Treasurer, sent direct to N. Y.....

\$7.858.45

In addition to the above there is credited to the parishes a total of \$1,184.46 received by New York direct.

Your cash has been examined, is in accordance with your records. and is in balance.

Respectfully yours,

EDWARD J. GALLIEN, JR., Public Accountant and Auditor, Buffalo, N. Y.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

G. SHERMAN BURROWS,

EUGENE C. DENTON,

Secretary.

Chairman.

Report of Sustentation Committee (H)

Years 1916-17.

The committee met and apportioned the sum of \$1,325.28 to the rectors of parishes as were found to be eligible under the canon.

Bath, N. Y., May 3, 1918.

HENRY F. ZWICKER.

President.

WILLIAM H. SIMMONS,

Secretary.

Episcopate Kund (I)

To the Eighty-first Annual Council of the Diocese of Western New York, May 21, 1918.

The Trustees for the management and care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate of the Diocese of Western New York, respectfully report as follows:

| The principal of the Episcopate Fund on January 1st, as follows: | 1918, was |
|--|-------------|
| Bonds and Mostgages on Real Estate, as per list appended | |
| Miller 119 acre farm near Brockport sold under contract | |
| Notes of Parishioners | \$43,910.15 |
| Waller Larger made up bro | \$44,110.15 |
| Walker Legacy, made up by: Mortgage, Matteis \$1,900.00 Mortgage, Kelly 2,800.00 | |
| Cash, Security Trust Co | 5,000.00 |
| Cash, Manufacturers & Traders Bank at Buffalo \$2,500.00 | 9.500.00 |
| Liberty Bonds, Second Loan \$5,000.00 | 2,500.00 |
| Cash, Rochester Trust & Safe Deposit Co \$1,198.79 | 5,000.00 |
| The state of the s | 1.198.79 |

Of the cash on hand in Rochester Trust & Safe Deposit Company on May 1, 1917, \$7,300 has been loaned out on bond and mortgage since the last report, and \$79.42 has been added from special collections, taken up at the time of the Bishop's visit for the purpose of increasing the Endowment Fund. The total amount derived from these collections has been from the beginning \$2,706.88.

Total principal of Episcopate Fund

The De Lancey Fund of \$1,709.55 is carried as a special fund on the books, and though not showing as a separate item on this report, will be restored on the next report when we will have cash enough to place this as a separate item. It is now represented in part by cash in Rochester Trust & Safe Deposit Company, \$1,198.79, and in part by amount invested in mortgages, \$510.76, making the total of \$1,709.55.

A list of the churches contributing to the Endowment Fund from May 1, 1917 to January 1, 1918, follows:

| St. Michael's, Piffard | \$ 1.00 |
|-----------------------------|---------|
| St. Thomas', Rochester | 5.10 |
| St. Peter's, Niagara Falls | 10.00 |
| St. John's, Dunkirk | 10.52 |
| St. John's, Mt. Morris | 7.31 |
| St. Luke's, Rochester | 28.38 |
| Christ Church, Cuba | 3.77 |
| St. Mary's, Gowanda | 6.00 |
| St. Ambrose', Niagara Falls | 7.34 |
| | - |

\$79.42

\$57,808.94

The mortgages held are amply secured and the interest on the same is promptly paid. Annexed to the report is a tabulated statement showing mortgages held.

| Receipts from income from May 1, 1917 to January 1, been as follows: | 1918, have |
|--|------------|
| Interest on mortgages and bank balances Expenditures for the same period have been: | \$1,872.29 |
| Mrs. Walker, salary of Bishop for three months | |
| following death \$1,250.00 Audit of books 20.00 Adjustment of interest on Liberty Bonds 9.15 | |
| | 1,279.15 |
| Surplus of income over expense | \$ 593.14 |
| cipal fund) | 2,307.85 |
| Surplus on hand January 1, 1918, (in Union TrustCo.) | \$2,900.99 |

In accordance with the suggestion contained in last year's report the Trustees have transferred from the income account \$5,000 of the surplus of \$7,307.86, reported at that time, to the Endowment Fund, and have invested the same in Liberty Bonds of the Second Issue.

All salaries and indebtedness are paid in full to January 1, 1918.

A committee of the Trustees have examined the books of the Treasurer and find that same have been correctly kept, have checked up bank balances and find amounts on deposit agree with figures above.

As directed by the Council, the books of the Treasurer will now be audited by a Public Accountant, and his certificate will be attached to this report.

HIRAM W. SIBLEY,
DANIEL M. BEACH,
ALBERT C. WALKER,
JOSEPH LEE HUMPHREY,
Trustees.

| BONDS SECURED BY MORTGAGES ON REAL ESTAT | re. |
|--|----------|
| SARAH E. SULLIVAN | 3,250.00 |
| GEORGE BAXTER House and lot, Wellington Ave., Rochester. Actual value, \$5,100.00. Insurance, \$3,000.00. Interest 5%. | 2,800.00 |
| CLARA M. HOUCK and HARRY J. BECHTOLD House, lot and barn, Grand Ave., Rochester. Actual value, \$6,000.00. Insurance, \$3.000.00. Interest 5%. | 3,000.00 |
| RALEIGH FARRAR Double house and lot, Oriole St., Rochester. Actual value, \$3,100.00. Insurance, \$1,600.00. Interest 5%. | 1,700.00 |
| RALEIGH FARRAR | 1,700.00 |

| WM. F. CHANDLER | .,2,450.00 |
|--|---------------------|
| H. J. CHASE | 2,060.00 |
| MRS. ELLEN TIBBITTS | 2,500.00 |
| SAMUEL STEVENS | 900.00 |
| I. H. MARVIN | 2,100.00 |
| RAYMOND GROH House and lot, Humboldt Pkwy., Buffalo. Actual value, \$4,000.00. Interest 5%. | 350.00 |
| MARGARET RITTERSBACHER and WM. J. KEENAN House and lot, Colvin St., Rochester. Insurance, \$1,000.00. Interest 5%. | 800.00 |
| M. M. JOSEPHS Double house and lot, Probert St., Rochester. Actual value, \$7,400.00. Insurance, \$6,500.00. Interest 5%. | 3,800.00 |
| RICHARD SCHMIDT | 3,500.00 |
| NICHOLAS VALERIO | 4,000.00 |
| WM. O. INGLE | 4,000.00 |
| E. H. SUMNER | 3,000.00 |
| Total | 341,910.00 |
| WALKER LEGACY. | |
| N. ROGER KELLY | \$2,800.00 |
| AUGUST MATTEIS | 1,900.00 |
| May 8, | 346,610.00 1918. |

Pursuant to your instructions we have examined the books and

To the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund, Rochester, N. Y.

| Gentl | emen | : | |
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accounts of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund of the Diocese of Western New York for the period from May 1 to December 31, 1917, inclusive, and herewith report as follows: The principal of the Episcopate Fund at December 31, 1917, amounts to \$57,808.94 Represented by the following items: Bonds and Mortgages on Real Estate..... \$46,610.00 Miller Farm sold under land contract..... 2,000.15 Notes of Parishioners 200.00 5,000.00 Liberty Bonds—4% Cash in Banks: 3.998.79 57.808.94 The transactions affecting principal during the period examined were: Additions: Legacy from Bishop Walker \$2,500.00 Receipts from Special Collections.. 79.42 Amount transferred from surplus Income 5,000.00 \$7.579.42 Principal at April 30, 1917 50,229,52 57.808.94 There was withdrawn from banks during the period and invested in:

\$12,300.00

\$593.14

Bonds & Mortgages on Real Estate. \$7,300.00 Liberty Bonds—4% 5,000.00

The foregoing statement has been correctly prepared from the books and accounts furnished, and is in agreement with the statement in the report of the Trustees for the period from May 1, to December 31, 1917, as submitted to us.

We have examined all entries for the period mentioned above and found them to be correctly made, and have seen vouchers for all the disbursements during the period.

The amounts shown as balances in banks are in accordance with the certificates furnished by officers of the respective Trust Companies and Bank.

We have examined the securities and found them to be as per list attached to report of Trustees and as shown above, in the deposit vaults.

Very sincerely yours,
W. SALVIN TAYLOR & CO.,
Public Accountants and Auditors,
No. 302 Central Building, Rochester, N. Y.

(J) Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Kund

To the Right Reverend Charles H. Brent, D. D., Bishop of the Diocese of Western New York, and to the Council of 1918:

The Trustees and Treasurer of the Christmas Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York make the following report of the transactions of the said Fund from May 1 to December 31, 1917, inclusive:

| The Christmas Fund at December 31, 1917, is as follows: | |
|--|-------------|
| Principal | \$33,529.68 |
| Surplus of Unexpended Income at April 30, 1917\$2,110.52 | |
| Excess of Expenditures over Income received dur- | |
| ing the period from May 1 to December 31, | |
| 1917 583.14 | |
| Surplus of Unexpended Income | 1,527.38 |
| Total | \$35,057.06 |
| Represented by the following items: | |
| Investments: | |
| Bonds and Mortgages on Real Estate (as per schedule | |
| 22 00, 000 000 000 000 000 000 000 000 0 | \$29.700.00 |
| Liberty Bond—4 % Lincoln National Bank—Deposit at 4% interest | 500.00 |
| Efficient National Bank—Deposit at 4% Interest | 2,957.45 |
| | \$33,157.45 |
| Cash in Lincoln National Bank— | |
| Checking Account\$1,766.97 | |
| Cash on hand (received Dec. 29, 1917, deposited | |
| Jan. 2, 1918) | 1 000 61 |
| | 1,899.61 |
| Total | \$35,057.06 |

| Amount of Fund reported at April 20, 1017 | |
|---|-----------|
| Amount of Fund reported at April 30, 1917— Investments | |
| Interest due April 1, 1917 (received May 4, 1917) 100.00 | 35,640.20 |
| Decrease for the period in Unexpended Income as above Transactions in investments during the period were as follows: | \$583.14 |
| Cash Received— | |
| May 4, Rector, etc., St. Peter's Church, payment on Mortgage | |
| July 2, \$460.00 Aug. 21, \$1.73 Sept. 1, 645.89 | , |
| Sept. 1, Following Interest-bearing Bank deposits | |
| withdrawn— | |
| Security Trust Co. 1,312.20 Monroe Co. Savings Bank 982.46 Mechanics Savings Bank 2,703.12 Rochester Trust & Safe Deposit Co. 1,021.11 | |
| Union Trust Co | 10,476.39 |
| Cash Invested— | |
| June 1, Transferred to Interest-bearing account Lincoln National Bank from Checking Account | |
| June 12, Liberty Bond | |
| Aug. 20, James H. Gallagher 1,100.00 Aug. 20, James H. Gallagher 250.00 Aug. 20, Marion H. Kitchen and Wife 1,500.00 Aug. 20, Robert A. Hubbard and Wife 2,300.00 Sept. 18, George R. Tobin and Wife 2,800.00 | |
| Dec. 31, Interest on Lincoln National Bank deposit added thereto | 10 700 77 |
| Investments December 31, 1917\$33,157.45 Investments April 30, 1917 | 12,522.75 |
| Increase in Investments | 2,046.36 |
| Interest on Investments— Received in Cash | |
| 2504 10 | |

\$561.42

| Less interest paid bank on loan for purchases of mortgages August 20th, to avoid loss of quarter's interest on deposits | 551.13 | 652.86 |
|---|------------|----------|
| Expenditures during the period were as follows | 3: | |
| Annuities paid to 12 annuitants, widows of de- | | |
| ceased clergymen—2 quarters—July 1 and Oct. 1 | \$1,200.00 | |
| Stationery, etc | \$2.50 | |
| Postage | 3.50 | |
| W. Salvin Taylor & Co., Auditing and preparing re- | | |
| port for year ended April 30, 1917 | 30.00 | |
| | | 1,236.00 |
| Excess of Expenditures over Income Received . | | \$583.14 |

The annual interest yield on investments as they stood at April 30, 1917, was at the rate of 4.938%.

The annual interest yield on investments as they stood at December 31, 1917, is at the rate of 5.074%.

Accrued interest not due is not considered in this report.

In view of the change in the closing date of the fiscal year from April 30 to December 31, this report necessarily covers a broken period of eight months only, and, as the interest payment dates on a large part of the investments are between January 1 and April 2, and nearly all the offerings have likewise been received in that period, the income actually received is much less than the expenditures during the period from May 1 to December 31 herein reported.

Rspectfully submitted,

WILLIAM B. FARNHAM,

President.

EUGENE C. DENTON.

Treasurer.
Trustees.

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Report of the Diocesan Board of Religious Education

Mr. Chairman and Brethren of the Council:

Your Board, in making its annual report, does so with the consciousness of the grievous loss it has sustained in the death of the beloved Warden of the DeLancey Divinity School, The Reverend Thomas B. Berry, S. T. D.

Under his wise and devoted management, the School has attained an efficiency that is worthy of a much larger institution; the number of students has steadily increased, and the prospects for future usefulness, in these days of decreasing numbers of Candidates for the sacred ministry, are bright indeed.

, Your Board has had the conduct of the School under its care only during the past three years, yet in that time we came to a deep and sincere appreciation of the worth and character of its Warden, and we desire at this time to express our sense of gratitude for his unwearying labors. To his loved ones we extend our sincere sympathy in this hour of their bereavement. While we mourn his loss, our lives are immeasurably enriched by his life and his labors, and we pray the Holy Spirit to direct the minds of those responsible for his successor.

We have held two meetings during the year. In October permission was given the Warden to make certain repairs on his house, and to install storm-windows. The Secretary announced that a bequest of \$2,500 had been made to the School by the late Bishop Walker. The Rev. G. H. Gaviller was directed to investigate the sources of the Endowment Fund of the Divinity School, and to obtain a copy of the Act of Incorporation, and all available information relative to the same.

At the April meeting the serious illness of the Warden being reported, the Reverend G. F. J. Sherwood was appointed by the Board to give whatever aid was possible to Dr. Berry, in order to assure the continuous conduct of the School, and to relieve the Warden of anxiety. As to the Board's operations in the field of the Church School work, these matters are covered by the report of the Educational Secretary. We would respectfully urge upon the members of the Council the loss incurred by the Diocese in failing to answer the correspondence of the Secretary. You have created and financed the office of an Educational Secretary; his usefulness is to a degree determined by the courtesy of the replies he may receive to his correspondence and inquiries.

We would seriously commend to your consideration the Annual Church School convention to be held in Buffalo, May 28, 29; the Geneva Summer Conference; and the recommendations and matters contained in the report of the Educational Secretary.

J. W. DENNESS COOPER, Secretary.

May 21, 1918.

Report of Treasurer, Board of Keligious Education

APRIL 21, 1918.

RECEIPTS.

| Balance from last year\$ | 382.51 |
|---|--------|
| St. Andrew's, Rochester | 4.22 |
| Ascension, Buffalo | 4.14 |
| Christ Church, Lockport | 1.78 |
| Grace, Buffalo | 8.24 |
| Our Saviour, Lackawanna | 1.36 |
| Incarnation, Blasdell | .58 |
| Grace, Lockport | 5.98 |
| St. Luke's, Rochester, Registration Fee | 2.00 |

| St. Mark's, North Tonawanda 2.32 All Soul's, Buffalo 1.90 St. Mary's, Buffalo 5.00 Registration Fees 7.47 | \$ 427.50 |
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| DISBURSEMENTS. | |
| Rev. T. B. Berry \$ 3.25 Rev. G. F. J. Sherwood 2.70 Mr. R. E. Kates 5.40 Mr. E. H. Boynton 5.40 Rev. Alfred Brittain 2.10 Miss D. Dickenson for Annual Convention 24.75 Rev. L. N. Caley, Expenses to Conference 21.00 Rev. J. W. D. Cooper, Expenses for Rochester Convention 10.00 Miss K. Stickel, Conference Expenses 4.60 Livingstone Republic for printing Book 143.50 Clerical Work, Postage and Stationery 2.00 | - 224.70 |
| Balance on hand | \$ 202.80 |

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED BRITTAIN, Treasurer.

Report of the Educational Secretary of the Diocesan Board of Religious Education

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Council:

The situation of the Church Schools in our Diocese, as your Secretary views it, is one of great hopefulness. Wherever one turns better organization and methods are apparent, most of the larger parishes have schools that are more than schools in mere name. In most a fairly well equipped teaching force will be found. The curriculum of the General Board is being largely followed and the Christian Nurture Lessons are coming more and more into use. In all there seems to be a greater appreciation of the task and its possibilities, both for the pupil and for the future of the Church.

The Great problem before your Secretary and your Diocesan Board is the *Small School*, and here, too, the improvement is as great as in the larger parishes. It is being more and more clearly recognized that it is as possible to train a smaller number of pupils as well as a larger; that because it is a school of few teachers, those teachers need not be inefficient. That methods employed in a large school are not impossible with modifications for the smaller; and yet, although the situation is hopeful, there is much still to be done if we are to give our children the training and nurture which is their due and to which the Church is committed.

Your Secretary still finds that there are parishes where there is little real interest in the Educational possibilities of the School. Those in charge scarcely ever answer letters and suggestions are evidently put carefully into the waste basket. We can only hope and pray for a better mind.

Like all other forms of Church work, the labors of your Secretary have been hampered by conditions engendered by the War. Lack of fuel in the winter months closed many Parish Houses and some Churches—this together with the burden of war work made it very difficult to arrange parish meetings and Sectional Conferences were almost impossible.

Your Secretary has, however, a large number of appointments which will keep him busy for some time to come.

Some of his official acts have been as follows:

In May last, he planned the first Annual Church School Convention of the Diocese at which there were 72 accredited delegates representing 38 schools, 91 visitors from 32 schools and many of the clergy. None of us will soon forget the helpfulness of the different sessions and particularly the inspiration given us by the Rev. Lwellyn N. Caley of Philadelphia.

Your Secretary also compiled the Diocesan "Standard of Efficiency," which has been put out by the Board.

He assisted the General Board of Religious Education in the promotion of a patriotic day on the Sunday nearest the 4th of July. Also in introducing a program of patriotic work for the pupils and officers of schools.

In his office has been compiled a list of Church men in all branches of the National Service which is being kept up to date and forwarded to the Church War Commission. But even in this most important effort there were some who, after repeated solicitations, failed to make any reply.

At Christmas time the Diocese was circularized on behalf of an offering for Armenian and Syrian Relief.

He has been active in promoting what is known as the "New Junior Plan" which is an endeavor to give to all pupils an opportunity for week-day expressional work on lines suggested by the five-fold field of activity as exemplified in the Christian Nurture Lessons.

At the Geneva Summer School he supplied the place of one of the lecturers in teaching a course on "Religion and the Home."

By visitation or correspondence he has advised 42 parishes on matters directly connected with school organization and methods.

At a Conference recently held at Hornell, the idea promoted was the unification of methods in the schools of that vicinity in order that they might mutually help one another. In this connection your Secretary would suggest that such unification should be attempted in the various Mission Stations of the Diocese under the direction of the Archdeacons. In this way a permanency of Plan would be obtained no matter who the Missionary in charge might be.

Quite lately a League of Superintendents of the Church Schools was formed in Buffalo which will help towards such unification in that city.

Your Secretary has represented this Diocese on the Provincial Board of Religious Education of which he is the Recording Secretary and also on the Governing Board of The Geneva Summer Conference.

As an indication of the difficulty in obtaining replies to correspondence only 62 parishes answered the Questionnaire recently sent out by your Secretary. This leaves 70 parishes who have not yet made their returns. Out of 132 parishes solicited, 13 reported no school.

The Statistics from these 49 active schools reporting prove of interest:

- 36 have either Font Roll or a Branch of Little Helpers.
- 21 have Bible Classes for Seniors up to 20 years of age.
- 17 have Bible Classes for Adults over 20 years of age.
- 28 have adopted the G. B. R. E. Curriculum.
- 22 use Christian Nurture Lessons.
- 7 have regular Teacher Training Class.
- 21 hold regular workers' conferences.
- 1 has a League of Church Parents.
- 23 hold parent meetings.
- 18 have sent delegates to the Geffeva Summer School.
- 21 intend to do so this year.
- 18 hold regular examinations.
- 14 make promotions depend upon such examination.

Mail sent out from your Secretary's office includes 1,700 personal letters, 884 circulars (since April 23, 1917).

There are four matters to which your Secretary would like to call your attention.

- (1) First, the necessity of answering correspondence. If he is to be of real service in the Diocese, letters and communications must be answered. This is true of the Questionnaire which is now in your hands.
- (2) That you will carefully study the "Standard of Efficiency" put forth by your Board.
- (3) That each school should endeavor to have at least one representative at the Geneva Summer Conference of 1918.
- (4) Last of all, that every School be represented by its two accredited delegates at the Second Annual Convention of the Church Schools of the Dioceca to be asid in St. John's Church, Buffalo, next Tuesday and Wednesday.

Respectfully submitted,

J. W. DENNESS COOPER,

Educational Secretary.

(L) Diocesan War Commission

Report of the Treasurer of the fund raised in the Diocese of Western New York for the War Commission of the Episcopal Church and for the special work of the Wrightstown Cantonment Committee. Total amount received up to and including May 20th, from

Of the amount raised, which is not particularly specified, 12/35ths goes to the Wrightstown Cantonment Committee and 23/35ths to the War Commission of the Episcopal Church.

Attached is a detailed report of the amount received from the different parishes and missions in the Archdeaconry of Buffalo.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN K. WALKER,

Treasurer.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 20, 1918.

ARCHDEACONRY OF BUFFALO. Diocese of Western New York.

Amounts received from the different parishes and missions:

| Alden Mission | | Holy Communion | 156.00 |
|-----------------------|--------|------------------------|----------|
| Alfred Mission | 5.00 | Holy Innocents' | |
| Allentown, Trinity | | St. Andrew's | 33.00 |
| Angelica, St. Paul's | 6.92 | St. Clement's : | |
| Angola, St. Paul's | 10.25 | St. James' | |
| Attica, St. Luke's | | St. John's | 796.19 |
| Belfast, Grace | 8.00 | St. Jude's | 106.56 |
| Belmont, St. Philip's | , | St. Luke's | 147.35 |
| Belvidere, Christ | | St. Mark's | 106.30 |
| Blasdell, Incarnation | | St. Mary's-on-the-Hill | 745.97 |
| Bolivar, Our Saviour | | St. Matthew's | |
| Brant, Good Shepherd | | St. Paul's | 4,022.89 |
| Buffalo: | | St. Peter's | |
| All Saints' | | St. Philip's | 6.50 |
| Ascension | 239.81 | St. Simon's | 40.00 |
| Epiphany | | St. Stephen's | 32.06 |
| Good Shepherd | 717.00 | St. Thomas' | |
| Grace | | Trinity | 2,042.31 |

| Canaseraga, Trinity | | Christ | 35.50 |
|------------------------------|---------|----------------------------|---------|
| Chautauqua, Good Shep- | | Grace | 413.03 |
| herd | | Good Shepherd | |
| Corfu, St. Luke's | | Mayville, St. Paul's | |
| Cuba, Christ | | Middleport, Trinity | |
| Darien Center, St. Paul's | 7.00 | New Town, Redeemer | |
| Depew, St. Andrew's | .83 | Niagara Falls: | • • • • |
| Dunkirk, St. John's | | Epiphany | 128.20 |
| East Aurora, St. Mat- | | Redeemer | 7.00 |
| thias' | 219.00 | St. Peter's | 601.00 |
| East Randolph, St. Paul's | | De Veaux College | 16.00 |
| Ellicottville, St. John's | | North Tonawanda: | 10.00 |
| Forrestville, St. Peter's | | St. Mark's | 218.41 |
| Franklinville, St. Bartholo- | • • • • | Olean, St. Stephen's | 38.42 |
| mew's | | Orchard Park, St. Mark's | 00.12 |
| Fredonia, Trinity | | Perry, Holy Apostles' | 2.00 |
| Friendship, St. Andrew's. | 1.50 | | 8.00 |
| Gowanda, St. Mary's | 5.25 | Randolph, Grace | 4.00 |
| | 22.70 | Ripley, Trinity | |
| Hamburg, Trinity | | Salamanca, St. Mary's | 10.00 |
| Hinsdale, St. Peter's | • • • • | Silver Creek, St. Alban's. | |
| Irving, St. Andrew's | 000.00 | Sinclair, All Saints' | |
| Jamestown, St. Luke's | 202.92 | Springville, St. Paul's | |
| Kenmore, Advent | 91.00 | Wellsville, St. John's | FO. FO |
| Lancaster, Trinity | 32.25 | Westfield, St. Peter's | 52.50 |
| Lackawanna Mission | 18.00 | Wetherfield Springs Mis- | |
| Lewiston, St. Paul's | | sion | • • • • |
| Little Valley, St. Peter's | | Williamsville, Calvary | |
| Lockport | | Youngstown, St. John's | 44.00 |
| All Saints' | | | |

WAR COMMISSION OF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Rochester Archdeaconry—June 13, 1918.

| | Pledged. | Paid. |
|---------------------|----------|-----------|
| Addison | \$ | \$ 5.00 |
| Albion | | 71.53 |
| Avon | | (• • • • |
| Batavia | | 165.00 |
| Bath | | 106,55 |
| Branchport | | 20.33 |
| Brockport | | 45.00 |
| Canandaigua | | 33.40 |
| Clifton Springs | | 51.95 |
| Clyde | | 8.75 |
| Corning | | 1,800.00 |
| Catherine | | 21.00 |
| Dansville | | 21.00 |
| East Rochester | | 16.00 |
| Fairport | | 5,95 |
| Geneva, Trinity | | 319.58 |
| Geneva, St. Peter's | | 221.09 |
| Geneseo | 16.00 | 477.75 |
| Holley | 20.00 | 5.00 |
| | | 0.00 |

| Honeoye Falls | | 37.00 |
|--------------------------|---|-----------------------|
| Hornell | | 300.00 |
| Holcomb | | . 7.50 |
| Hammondsport | | 52.16 |
| Le Roy | | 65.00 |
| Lyons | | - 9.97 |
| Mt. Morris | | 207.47 |
| Newark | | 10.95 |
| Oakfield | | 22.30 |
| Palmyra | | 27.85 |
| Penn Yan | | 36.00 |
| Phelps | | 9.00 |
| Pittsford | | |
| Rochester: | | |
| Ascension | | 175.25 |
| Christ Church | | 3,007.61 |
| Epiphany | | 151.85 |
| St. Andrew's | 23.00 | 1,232.65 |
| St. George's (Charlotte) | | 15.50 |
| St. James' | | • • • • • |
| St. Luke's | 50.00 | 1,150.00 |
| St. John's | | 33.38 |
| St. Mark's | | 104.25 |
| St. Paul's | 95.00 | 3,982.75 |
| St. Stephen's | • • • • • | 20.55 |
| St. Thomas' | | 55.5 0 |
| Trinity | 25,00 | 0.000 4.00 |
| Scottsville | | 37.47 |
| Sodus | | 45.43 |
| Watkins | * | 50.00 |
| Total | 8200.00 | Ø14 001 07 |
| Total | \$209.00 | \$14,221.27 209.00 |
| Pledges | | 209.00 |
| | | \$14,430.27 |
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HARPER SIBLEY, Treasurer. D. L. FERRIS, Chairman.

APPENDIX III

Parishes and Missions

Organizations

(B) Archdeaconry of Buffalo

(R) Archdeaconry of Rochester

ADDISON—(Steuben County.) (R.)—CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER. The Rev. Hobart L. Marvin, Rector. Wardens, Delmar M. Darrin, Almon Beeman. Clerk, Delmar M. Darrin.

ALBION—(Orleans County.) (R.)—CHRIST CHURCH. The Rev. Glenn W. White, Rector. The Rev. F. S. Dunham, Ph. D., Rector Emeritus. Wardens, Hon. W. Crawford, C. Ramsdale, Warner Thompson. Treasurer, J. William Cornell. Clerk, Hon. W. Crawford Ramsdale, 14 E. State Street.

ALDEN—(Erie County.) (B.)—STATION. The Rev. the Archdeacon of Buffalo in charge.

ALFRED—(Allegany County.) (B.)—UNIVERSITY MISSION CHURCH. The Rev. A. S. Ashley in charge. Lay Reader, Charles F. Binns. Treasurer, Mrs. L. C. Allen, Alfred Station

ALLEN'S HILL—(Ontario County.) (R.)—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. the Archdeacon of Rochester in charge.

ALLENTOWN—(Allegany County.) (B.)—TRINITY CHURCH. The Rev. the Archdeacon of Buffalo in charge.

ANGELICA—(Allegany County.) (B.)—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. the Archdeacon of Buffalo in charge. Wardens, C. D. Buchanan, Herman Rice. Clerk, Joseph C. Herdman.

ANGOLA—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. T. B. Clarke in charge. Warden, Charles A. Morley. Treasurer, Wm. Herriatt. Clerk, Edward Johns.

ATTICA—(Wyoming County). (B.)—ST. LUKE'S CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo in charge. Warden, C. B. Benedict Treasurer, John C. Williams. Clerk, F. J. Morgan.

AVOCA—(Steuben County.) (R.)—ST. JAMES' CHURCH. The-Rev. C. E. Purdy, M. D.

AVON—(Livingston County.) (R.)—ZION CHURCH. Wardens, R. C. Thurston, W. H. Clark. Treasurer, W. H. Clark. Clerk, R. B. Downing.

BATAVIA—(Genesee County.) (R.)—ST. JAMES' CHURCH. The Rev. Alfred Brittain, Rector. Wardens, Frank B. Redfield, Frank S. Wood. Treasurer, H. S. Vaughan. Clerk, W. G. Pollard.

BATH—(Steuben County.) (R.)—ST. THOMAS' CHURCH. The Rev. Charles E. Purdy, M. D., Rector. Wardens, Augustus de Peyster, Clarence Willis. Treasurer, Fred R. Webster, 8 Rumsey St. Clerk, W. H. Simmons, 36 Steuben St.

BELFAST—(Allegany County.) (B.)—GRACE CHURCH. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in charge. Warden, C. J. Seizer. Treasurer, Miss S. S. Jennings.

BELMONT—(Allegany County.) (B.)—ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH. The Rev. John N. Borton in charge. Wardens, Hon. C. H. Brown, James N. Hyde. Treasurer, H. C. Vanderhoef. Clerk, H. R. Sortore.

. **BELVIDERE**—(Allegany County.) (B.)—**CHRIST CHURCH**. The Rev. John N. Borton in charge. Treasurer, Mrs. C. Whitcomb. Clerk, Rev. John N. Borton.

BLASDELL—(Erie County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION. The Rev. G. F. J. Sherwood in charge. Warden, John D. Luther. Treasurer, R. A. Partridge. Clerk, Thomas R. Colley.

BOARDMANSVILLE—(Cattaraugus County.) (B.)—MISSION CHURCH.

BOLIVAR—(Allegany County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR. The Rev. the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in charge. Warden, Henry Wilbur. Treasurer, Henry Wilbur.

BRADFORD—(Steuben County.) (R.)—ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. The Rev. G. P. Sommerville, D.D., in charge. Wardens, S. W. Robinson, Carver Longwell. Treasurer, E. C. Switzer. Clerk, E. C. Switzer.

BRANCHPORT—(Yates County.) (R.)—ST. LUKE'S CHURCH. The Rev. J. H. Perkins, Rector. Wardens, W. T. Vail, J. H. Rose, M. D. Treasurer, C. A. Dowdell, Keuka Park. Clerk, C. A. Dowdell, Keuka Park.

BRANT—(Erie County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEP-HERD. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in charge. (See Irving—Church of the Good Shepherd).

BROCKPORT—(Monroe County.) (R.)—ST. LUKE'S CHURCH.
The Rev. E. P. Burrill, Rector. Wardens, Daniel Holmes, Thomas
Dobson. Treasurer, Thomas C. Gordon. Clerk, George Harmon, Market
Street.

BROCTON—(Chautauqua County.) (B.)—MISSION CHURCH.

BROOKSIDE—(Niagara County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD. The Rev. H. F. Zwicker, in charge.

BUFFALO—(Eric County.) (B.)—ALL SAINTS' CHURCH. The Rev. G. Herbert Gaviller, Rector. Wardens, J. B. McCall, J. W. Griswold. Treasurer, G. N. Westcott, 1372 Michigan Ave. Clerk, H. J. Hindson, 302 Riley St.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ASCENSION CHURCH. The Rev. Charles D. Broughton, Rector. Wardens, M. S. Burns, John F. Adams. Treasurer, John F. Adams, 118 Chatham Ave. Clerk, W. H. Smith, 129 North St.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—**EPIPHANY CHURCH.** The Rev. E. J. Stevens, in charge.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD. The Rev. James Cosbey, Rector. Wardens, W. P. Northrup, A. C. C. Pollard. Treasurer, A. C. C. Pollard, 1766 Main St. Clerk, Charles Diebold, 438 Main St.

BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—GRACE CHURCH. The Rev. John Chamberlain Ward, Rector. The Rev. Gilbert A. Shaw, Curate. Wardens, John Lewis, William E. Plummer. Treasurer, Dr. D. S. Joyce 143 Englewood Ave. Clerk, J. E. Montgomery, 171 Lafayette Ave.

- BUFFALO—(Eric County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF THE HOLY COM-MUNION. The Rev. Chas. H. Smith, Rector. Wardens, Robert Murray, Aaron Lamont. Treasurer, A. Lamont, 169 Toulding Ave. Clerk, Wm. S. Godfrey, 174 Laurel St.
- BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—CHAPEL OF HOLY INNOCENTS. Church Home Chapel.
- BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. The Rev. Frank Ernest Aitkins, Rector. Wardens, C. M. Clarke, B. H. Bennett. Treasurer, C. M. Clarke, 313 Elmwood Ave. Clerk, W. A. Rearick, 57 Robie St.
- BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. CLEMENT'S CHURCH. The Rev. Charles H. Smith, D.D., in charge. The Rev. W. S. Salisbury, Curate. Wardens, Charles A. Lane, F. Leney. Treasurer, Leslie Leney. Clerk, W. Wyatt, 29 Mendola St.
- BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. JAMES' CHURCH. The Rev. Charles H. Smith, D.D., Rector. Wardens, H. W. Clendenning, J. M. Palmatier. Treasurer, George H. Andrews, 308 N. Division St. Clerk, G. H. Andrews.
- BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. Walter Russell Lord, Rector. Wardens, H. S. Madden, John T. LaDue. Treasurer, W. L. Critiss, 215 Lancaster Ave. Clerk, C. M. Baldy, 198 Cleveland Ave.
- BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. JUDE'S CHURCH. The Rev. George Frederick J. Sherwood, Rector. Wardens, William Thompson, H. J. Smith. Treasurer, Joseph Shaw, 25 Woodside Ave. Clerk, Charles A. Swift, 25 Alsace Ave.
- BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. LUKE'S CHURCH. The Rev. John Short, Rector. Wardens, W. Thompson, H. Gethoefer. Treasurer, R. F. Forbes, 32 Ketchum Pl. Clerk, H. Wheeler, 174 York St.
- BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. MARK'S CHURCH. The Rev. Nathan W. Stanton, Rector. Wardens, A. H. White, S. H. Dickson. Treasurer, George W. Murdock, 94 Ontario St. Clerk, Conrad Loesch, 99 Gorton St.
- BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. MARY'S CHURCH. The Rev. George Frederick Williams, Rector. Wardens, Thomas M. Gibson, William S. Riselay. Treasurer, E. H. Webster, 164 Lincoln Parkway. Clerk, W. E. Townsend, 688 Seventh St.
- BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH. The Rev. John Oaksford, Rector.
- BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. Charles A. Jessup, D.D., Rector. The Rev. Arthur F. Lowe, Curate, the Rev. D. L. Leach, Curate. Wardens, Charles R. Wilson, Dr. Matthew D. Mann. Treasurer, E. S. Warren, 1022 Fidelity Bldg. Clerk, Ralph Kimberly, 1141 Delaware Ave.
- BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. PETER'S CHURCH. The Rev. Charles H. Smith, D.D., in charge. The Rev. Francis M. Marchant, Vicar. Wardens, William Bowey, Arthur Craib. Treasurer, W. Bowey, 345 Ideal St. Clerk, W. Bowey.

- BUFFALO—(Eric County.) (B.)—ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH. The Rev. E. Robert Bennett, B.D., Rector. Wardens, Noble Woods, Ollie Hall. Treasurer, Joseph H. Martin, 78 W. Huron. Clerk, John E. Brent, 248 Glenwood Ave.
- BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. SIMON'S CHURCH. The Rev. Edwin J. Stevens, Rector. Wardens, Henry N. Yates, James Russell. Treasurer, William Rooney, 51 Mineral Springs Road. Clerk, George Woelfle, 11 Indian Orchard Place.
- BUFFALO—(Eric County.) (B.)—ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH. The Rev. Francis A. Ransom, Rector. Wardens, M. H. Dean, Robert T. Gibson. Treasurer, the Rector. Clerk, Robert T. Gibson, 144 Wende St.
- BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—ST. THOMAS' CHURCH. The Rev. S. Evans, Rector. Wardens, R. McClure, J. Savage. Treasurer, Wm. Gould, 315 Elk St. Clerk, James Savage, 1097 Ellicott Sq.
- BUFFALO—(Erie County.) (B.)—TRINITY CHURCH. The Rev. Cameron J. Davis, Rector. The Rev. Rush R. Sloane, Assistant Minister. Wardens, Elbert B. Mann, Dr. DeLancey Rochester. Treasurer, Shepard Kimberly, 51 Irving Place. Clerk, Rodney D. Hall, 61 Anderson Place.
- BUSHNELL'S BASIN—(Monroe County.) (R.)—ST. PETER'S CHURCH. The Rev. in charge. Treasurer, Thomas Curwood, Pittsford, N. Y.
- CALEDONIA—(Livingston County.) (R.)—ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. The Rev. Francis C. Woodward, in charge. Warden, William Keenan. Clerk, Allan B. McKay.
- CANANDAIGUA—(Ontario County.) (R.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. Herbert L. Gaylord, Ph.D., Rector. Wardens, Thomas H. Bennett, Edward S. Pierson. Treasurer, H. A. Beeman, Gibson St. Clerk, Luther N. Steele, Howell St.
- CANASERAGA—(Allegany County.) (B.)—TRINITY CHURCH. The Rev. J. H. Parsons, Rector. Treasurer, W. C. Windsor. Clerk, John Sanborn.
- CANISTEO—(Steuben County.) (R.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. A. S. Ashley, in charge.
- CHAUTAUQUA—(Chautauqua County.) (B.)—CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD. The Rev., the Archdeacon of Buffalo, in charge. Trustees, The Bishop, the Archdeacon, four clergymen and four laymen. Treasurer, Miss Annie Morey.
- CLIFTON SPRINGS—(Ontario County.) (R.)—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. W. Guy Raines, Rector. Wardens, F. A. DeGraw, H. Wright. Clerk, W. Y. Hulse.
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| | Parish Guilds | 60 | | | | | 1,106.45 | | 76.96 | | | | 215.37 | 1,518.50 | 130.00 957.15 47.00 |
| EXPENDITURES | Extra Diocesan Expenditures | \$635.00 | 2.00 | | | | 266.00 | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | 13.00 | | 121.77 | 157.20 | 188.40 1,071.12 | 1,547.50 | 168.00 |
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| | Isidoots Patochial | \$ 517.50 | 12.96 | | 00.0 | | 365.13 | | 15.00 | | 798.90 | 509.17 | 727.67 | 2,209.30 54,881.67 345.30 | 867.13 |
| | Parish Current Expenses | \$.2,337.54 | 40.52 | | 01.102 | | 2,685.59 | | 107.50 | | 287.76 | 2,372.43 | 2,935.78 | 6,396.80 5,245.21 2,483.19 | 2,789.87 796.12 2,378.52 |
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| | For Parish Guilds | 64 | | | | | 1,369.46 | | | | | | 243.87 | 1,700.33 | 1,002.46 236.32 |
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| | For Parish Support | \$ 2.771.73 | 54.23 | | 397.35 | | 2,972.15 | | 157.76 | | 413.10 | 2,970.42 | 3,041.18 10,251.89 | 9,540.03 5,695.85 2,050.85 | 3,360.65 783.70 2,519.52 |
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| 300.00 281.00 212.21 206.70 1,469.38 | 189.00 77.51 3,182.62 | 8.66 148.50 136.15 | 34.00 | 1,602.02 | 27.21 | 332.82 | | 21.71 | 68.20 | 1,079,53 |
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| Orchard Fark Palmyra Pen Yan Pery Pery Phips Piffard | 86.66 | 2,440.52 1,552.71 212.92 1,253.46 | 1,010.82 | 199.51 62.75 5.19 38.00 | 787.70 | 4,438.65 1,756.34 2391.8 1,291.46 | 2,192.41 1,612.37 203.54 1,378.00 | 1,124.42 37.50 17.20 144.00 | 95.69 51.89 10.00 | 177.00 29.43 8.19 | 256.42 | 3,660.95 1,756.34 239.18 1,522.00 |
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| St. James' St. Luke's St. Mark's St. Paul's | 14.39 1,667.53 3,020.52 | 2,882.91 14,709.54 1,615.22 21,992.08 | 594.16 1,071.67 3,286.58 | 27.00 1,484.31 442.07 9,271.42 | 53.40 | 2,909.91 16,788.01 3,182.36 39,937.96 | 2,637.67 10,940.73 1,414.85 18,950.35 | 52.50 2,451.81 1,063.75 3,429.05 | 149.30 607.38 140.71 1,811.92 | ରୀ ଉଚି | : 2 | 2,866.27 16,989.25 2,762.13 35,293.30 |
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| Wellsville Westfield Wethersfield Springs | 43.62 | 2,165.89 | 92.53 | 165.07 | 243.35 | 2,710.46 | 1,509.00 | 167.50 | 75.05 | 190.45 | 28.00 | 1,779.50 |
| Williamsville Wolcott Youngstown | 433.17 | 35.00 | | | | 579.23 35.00 | 62.55 35.00 | .94 | 15.47 | | | 78.96 |
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APPENDIX IV

Assessments 1918

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| | Current | Susten- | Episco- | Diocesan | Dio | cesan |
| | Expenses | tation | pate | Expenses | | |
| | | | | | | |
| Addison | | \$ 6.06 | \$ 12.12 | \$ 14.14 | \$ | 4.04 |
| Albion | | 17.52 | 35.05 | 40.89 | | 11.68 |
| Alden | | .50 | 1.00 | 1.50 | | .25 |
| Alfred | | .30 | .60 | .70 | | .20 |
| Allen's Hill | | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3.00 | | .50 |
| Allentown | | 2.00 | 4.00 | 6.00 | | 1.00 |
| Angelica | | 2.43 | 4.87 | 5.68 | | 1.62 |
| Angola | | 1.92 | 3.85 | 4.49 | | 1.28 |
| Attica | . 238.03 | 1.77 | 3.57 | 4.15 | | 1.19 |
| Avoca | | .50 | 1.00 | 1.50 | _ | .25 |
| Avon | . 1,474.00 | 11.04 | 22.08 | 25.78 | | 7.37 |
| Batavia | 3,508.79 | 26.31 | 52.62 | 61.39 | | 17.54 |
| Bath | . 2,685.59 | 20.13 | 40.27 | 46.98 | | 13.42 |
| Belfast | . 90.50 | .66 | 1.35 | 1.56 | | .45 |
| Belmont | . 482.34 | 3.60 | 7.23 | 8.42 | | 2.41 |
| Belvidere | . 76.90 | .57 | 1.14 | 1.33 | | .38 |
| Blaisdell | . 107.50 | .81 | 1.60 | 1.88 | | .53 |
| Bolivar | . 25.00 | .18 | .37 | .43 | | .12 |
| Bradford | . 123.95 | .93 | 1.84 | 2.16 | | .61 |
| Branchport | . 287.76 | 2.16 | 4.30 | 5.03 | | 1.43 |
| Brant, Indian | . 136.00 | 1.02 | 2.04 | 2.38 | | .68 |
| Brockport | | 17.79 | 35.58 | 41.51 | | 11.86 |
| Brocton | | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3.00 | | .50 |
| Buffalo: | | | | | | |
| All Saints | . 2,935.78 | 22.01 | 44.02 | 51.34 | | 14.67 |
| Ascension | . 7,297.04 | 54.72 | 109.45 | 127.69 | | 36.48 |
| Epiphany | | 3.00 | 6.00 | 9.00 | | 1.50 |
| Good Shepherd | . 6,396.80 | 47.97 | 95.94 | 111.93 | | 31.98 |
| Grace | | 39.33 | 78.67 | 91.78 | | .26.22 |
| Holy Communion. | · | 18.63 | 37.24 | 43.46 | | 12.41 |
| Holy Innocents | | | | | | |
| St. Andrew's | | 20.91 | 41.83 | 48.80 | | 13.94 |
| St. Clement's | | 5.97 | 11.94 | | | 3.98 |
| St. James's | | 17.85 | 35.67 | | | 11.89 |
| St. John's | | 38.79 | 77.58 | | | 25.86 |
| St. Jude's | | 12.57 | 25.18 | 29.36 | | 8.39 |
| | ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,, | | -0110 | _0.00 | | 0.00 |

| | | | | | Extra |
|------------------|---------------|---------|---------|----------|----------|
| | Current | Susten- | Episco- | Diocesan | Diocesan |
| | Expenses | tation | pate | Expenses | Expenses |
| St. Luke's | 3,310.36 | 24.81 | 49.65 | 57.91 | 16.55 |
| St. Mark's | | 20.73 | 41.46 | 48.37 | 13.82 |
| St. Mary's | 6,329.07 | 47.46 | 94.93 | 110.75 | 31.64 |
| St. Matthew's | | 10.56 | 21.13 | 31.69 | 5.28 |
| St. Paul's | | 201.84 | 403.69 | 470.97 | 134.56 |
| St. Peter's | | 3.80 | 7.60 | 8.86 | 2.53 |
| St. Phillip's | 1,220.45 | 9.15 | 18.30 | 21.35 | 6.10 |
| St. Simon's | | 13.01 | 26.02 | 30.36 | 8.67 |
| St. Stephen's | 1,250.27 | 9.36 | 18.75 | 21.86 | 6.25 |
| St. Thomas's | 1,378.16 | 10.32 | 20.64 | 24.10 | 6.89 |
| Trinity | . 21,569.20 | 161.76 | 323.53 | 377.45 | 107.84 |
| Bushnell's Basin | 15.00 | .09 | .22 | .24 | .07 |
| Caledonia | 250.20 | 1.86 | 3.75 | 4.36 | 1.25 |
| Canaseraga | . 999.01 | 7.47 | 14.94 | 17.46 | 4.99 |
| Canisteo | | .50 | 1.00 | 1.50 | .25 |
| Catherine | . 275.70 | 2.04 | 4.12 | 4.79 | 1.37 |
| Chautauqua | . 108.19 | .81 | 1.62 | 1.89 | .54 |
| Clifton Springs | 1,354.80 | 10.14 | 20.28 | 23.68 | 6.77 |
| Canandaigua | 3,087.15 | 23.15 | 46.30 | 54.00 | 15.43 |
| Clyde | 589.07 | 4.41 | 8.83 | 10.30 | 2.94 |
| Corfu | 56.87 | .42 | .84 | .98 | .28 |
| Corning | . 10,377.12 | 77.82 | 155.65 | 181.59 | 51.88 |
| Cuba | . 1,216.98 | 9.12 | 18.24 | 21.28 | 6.08 |
| Dansville | | 6.98 | 13.96 | 20.94 | 3.49 |
| Darien Center | | .54 | 1.13 | 1.29 | .37 |
| Depew | | .21 | .46 | .52 | .15 |
| Dresden | | .33 | .66 | .77 | .22 |
| Dundee | | .12 | .27 | .30 | .09 |
| Dunkirk | | 17.91 | 35.86 | 41.82 | 11.95 |
| East Aurora | | 12.63 | 25.30 | 29.50 | 8.43 |
| East Bloomfield | | 2.50 | 5.00 | 7.50 | 1.25 |
| East Randolph | | .02 | .05 | .07 | .01 |
| East Rochester | | 1.50 | 3.00 | 3.50 | 1.00 |
| Ellicottville | | 3.69 | 7.38 | 8.61 | 2.46 |
| Fairport | | 2.40 | 4.83 | 5.62 | 1.61 |
| Forestville | | .93 | 1.89 | 2.19 | .63 |
| Franklinville | | .18 | .37 | .43 | |
| Fredonia | | 10.80 | 21.60 | 32.40 | |
| Friendship | | .90 | 1.83 | 2.12 | |
| Geneseo | . 2,500.00 | 18.75 | 37.50 | 43.75 | 12.50 |
| Geneva: | | | | | |
| St. Andrew's | • • • • • • • | .50 | 1.00 | 1.50 | .25 |

| | | | | | Extra |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|---------|---------|----------|----------|
| | Current | Susten- | Episco- | Diocesan | Diocesan |
| | Expenses | tation | pate | Expenses | Expenses |
| St. Peter's | | 23.66 | 47.32 | 70.98 | 11.83 |
| Trinity | | 45.57 | 91.14 | 106.33 | -30.38 |
| Gowanda | | 7.65 | 15.33 | 17.87 | 5.11 |
| Hamburg | | 3.75 | 7.54 | 8.78 | 2.51 |
| Hammondsport | | 11.55 | 23.10 | 26.95 | 7.70 |
| Himrods | | .18 | .36 | .42 | .12 |
| Hinsdale | | .25 | .50 | 75 | .13 |
| Holley | | 5.00 | 10.00 | 15.00 | 2.50 |
| Honeoye Falls | | 5.38 | 10.76 | 16.14 | 2.69 |
| Hornell | | 19.52 | 39.04 | 58.56 | 9.76 |
| Hunt's | | 1.44 | 2.92 | 3.39 | .97 |
| Irving | | 1.41 | 2.82 | 3.29 | .94 |
| Jamestown | 4,698.82 | 35.22 | 70.42 | 82.20 | 23.49 |
| Kenmore | . 1,407.70 | 10.53 | . 21.10 | 24.60 | 7.03 |
| Lackawanna | . 10.00 | .06 | .15 | .16 | .05 |
| Lancaster | . 1,374.17 | 10.29 | 20.60 | 24.03 | 6.87 |
| Le Roy | | 12.17 | 24.33 | 36.50 | 6.08 |
| Lewiston | | 2.50 | 5.00 | 7.50 | - 1.25 |
| Little Valley | | .25 | .50 | .75 | .13 |
| Lockport: | | | | | |
| All Saints | • · · · • • • • • · · · · · | 3.89 | 7.78 | 11.66 | 1.94 |
| Christ | . 1,767.57 | 13.23 | 26.46 | 30.90 | 8.83 |
| Good Shepherd | | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3.00 | .50 |
| Grace | . 4,405.98 | 33.03 | 66.07 | 77.08 | 22.02 |
| Lyons | | 13.80 | 27.60 | 32.19 | 9.19 |
| Manchester | | .50 | 1.00 | 1.50 | .25 |
| Mayville | | 3.99 | 7.98 | 9.31 | |
| Medina | | 13.20 | 26.44 | 30.83 | 4 8.81 |
| Middleport | | 3.66 | 7.32 | 8.54 | 2.44 |
| Montour Falls | . 448.69 | 3.36 | 6.72 | 7.84 | 2.24 |
| Mt. Morris | , | 15.42 | 30.84 | 35.98 | 10.28 |
| Newark | | 11.08 | 22.16 | 33.24 | 5.54 |
| New Town | . 42.83 | .30 | .63 | .72 | .21 |
| Niagara Falls: | 0.001.40 | 04.00 | 40.04 | NO 44 | 4000 |
| Epiphany | | 24.90 | 49.81 | 58.11 | |
| Redeemer | | 10.23 | 20.49 | | |
| St. Ambrose | | ` | | | |
| St. Peter's | , | 30.42 | 60.85 | | |
| North Tonawanda | | 19.94 | 39.88 | | |
| Nunda | | .50 | 1.00 | | |
| Oakfield | | 4.20 | 8.40 | | 2.80 |
| Olcott | | | | | |

| | Commont | Qt | Todaya | Dianaman | Extra |
|----------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------|----------------------|----------|
| | Current Expenses | Susten- tation | pate | Diocesan | Expenses |
| Olean | | 30.18 | 60.39 | 70.44 | 20.13 |
| Orchard Park | | 5.13 | 10.26 | 11.97 | |
| Palmyra | | 16.44 | 32.88 | 38.36 | 10.96 |
| Penn Yan | | 12.09 | 24.18 | 28.21 | |
| Perry | | 1.50 | 3.04 | 3.53 | |
| Phelps | | 10.32 | 20.67 | 24.10 | |
| Piffard | | .50 | 1.00 | 1.50 | |
| Pittsford | | 10.47 | 20.95 | 24.44 | |
| Randolph | | 2.70 | 5.44 | 6.33 | |
| Ripley | | .30 | .60 | .70 | |
| Rochester: | . 10.00 | .00 | ,00 | •10 | |
| Ascension | . 7.287.90 | 54.63 | 109.30 | 127.50 | 36.43 |
| Christ | | 67.17 | 134.34 | 156.73 | |
| Epiphany | | 28.50 | 57.03 | 66.52 | |
| St. Andrew's | | 56.19 | 112.38 | 131.11 | |
| St. George's | | 3.21 | 6.43 | 7.50 | |
| St. James's | | 19.77 | 39.55 | 46.14 | |
| St. Luke's | | 82.05 | 164.10 | 191.45 | |
| St. Mark's | | 10.59 | 21.21 | 24.73 | |
| St. Paul's | | 142.12 | 284.25 | 331.62 | |
| St. Stephen's | | 12.08 | 24.16 | 28.19 | |
| St. Stephen's | · · | 9.21 | 18.42 | 21.48 | |
| Trinity | · · | 25.12 | 50.23 | 58.61 | |
| Salamanca | | 6.47 | 12.94 | 15.10 | |
| Savona | | .94 | 1.98 | 2.19 | .63 |
| | | 5.34 | 10.68 | 12.44 | |
| Scottsville | | 1.83 | 3.66 | 4.26 | |
| | | 5.37 | 10.74 | $\frac{4.20}{12.53}$ | |
| | | .27 | .54 | .62 | |
| Sinclairsville | | 8.32 | | | |
| | | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3.00 | |
| | | .15 | .30 | .34 | |
| | | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3.00 | |
| South Phelps | | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3.00 | |
| Spencerport | | .48 | .96 | 1.12 | |
| Springville | | | | | |
| Stafford | | 3.00 | 6.00 | .30 | |
| Union Hill | | .10 | 2.28 | | |
| Victor | | 1.14 | | | |
| Warsaw | | 4.95 | 9.90 | | |
| Watkins | _,_,_, | 11.07 | 22.14 | | |
| Wayne | | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3.00 | |
| Wellsville | . 1,509.00 | 11.31 | 22.62 | 26.40 | 7.54 |

| | Current Expenses | Susten- tation | Episco- | Diocesan Expenses | |
|-----------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------|----------------------|------|
| Westfield | 1,820.51 | 13.65 | 27.30 | 31.85 | 9.10 |
| Weathersfield Springs | | 50 | 1.00 | 1.50 | .25 |
| Williamsville | 62.55 | .46 | .93 | 1.08 | .32 |
| Wolcott | 35.00 | .26 | .52 | .61 | .17 |
| Youngstown | | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3.00 | .50 |

Assessments are based on the Current Expenses of the parishes and at the proportionate vote of 1% per cent for Diocesan Expenses; 1% per cent for the support of the Episcopate; % per cent for the Sustentation fund; % per cent for Extra Diocesan obligations.

Assessments on parishes not reporting are made on the basis of previous reports.

Assessments are for the Canonical fiscal year, January 1, 1918, to January 1, 1919.

APPENDIX V.

Summary of Statistics

| Clergy: | |
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| Bishop Priests (including Non-Parochial) Deacons (including those without Cures) Ordinations (Deacons, 3; Priests, 2) | 1 124 4 5 |
| Congregations: | |
| | * |
| Parishes, Missions, Chapels and Stations | 164 |
| Baptized Persons | 43.392 |
| Communicants | 32,052 |
| Baptisms (Infants, 1,073; Adults, 201) | 1,274 |
| Confirmed Marriages | 959 |
| Burials | 763 |
| Sunday School (Teachers, 1,192; Pupils, 8,083) | 1,034 |
| Bible Classes (Teachers 41; Members, 797) | 9,275 838 |
| Dible Classes (Teachers 41, Members, (31) | 000 |
| Dishursements: | |
| Salaries and Expenses | \$247,050.01 |
| Total Parochial (including Salaries and Expenses) | 421,633.69 |
| Diocesan Expenditures | 21,281.02 |
| Extra Diocesan Objects | 38,145.83 |
| Total for all purposes | 501,228.84 |
| | |
| Funds and Properties: | |
| Endowments | 499.526.32 |
| Invested Funds | 135,014.68 |
| Debt | 108,459.09 |
| Churches | 2,027,304.00 |
| Chapels | 137,500.00 |
| Land | 539,895.00 |
| Rectories | 237,655.00 |
| Parish Houses | 414,600.00 |

Rules of Order

- I. On the first day of the Council there shall be brief devotions at 1:30 P. M. Immediately after the Council shall be organized according to the Diocesan canons and proceed to business in the following order:
 - (1) Calling of the roll.
 - (2) Election of a Secretary.
 - (3) Appointment of the following Standing Committees by the President:
 - 1. On the Constitution, Canons, and Rules of Order.
 - 2. On the Admission of Churches into Union with the Council; to consist of one Clergyman and two Laymen.
 - On Finance, to which shall be referred the reports and accounts of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, of the Treasurer of the Diocese and of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund; to consist of two Clergymen and three Laymen.
 - 4. On the Report of the Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate; to consist of three Laymen.
 - On the Reports of the Board of Education, and Board of Diocesan Missions; to consist of two Clergymen and one Layman.
 - 6. On the Report of the Trustees of DeVeaux College; to consist of one Clergyman and two Laymen.
 - 7. On non-reporting Clergy and Parishes; to consist of three Clergymen.
 - 8. On the General Theological Seminary, and the Society for the Promotion of Religion and Learning in the State of New York; to consist of two Clergymen and one Layman.
 - 9. On Urgent and Unfinished Business.
 - 10. On Reports and Reporters.
 - 11. On Christian Unity.
 - On Clergy Relief: to consist of three Clergymen and two Laymen.
 - On the State of the Church: to consist of two Clergymen and one Layman.
 - 14. On Credentials of Delegates: to consist of two Clergymen and one Layman, to serve from the close of the Current Council until the close of the next Annual Council.
 - 15. On Missions, to consist of ten Clergymen and ten Laymen, including the Delegates to the Missionary Council, with the right to add other Clergymen and Laymen of the Diocese to be named at the close of the Current Council, and to serve until the close of the next Annual Council.
 - (4) Nomination for offices.

- (5) Presentation and reference of reports of Officers and Committees of the Diocese.
- II. The following Committees may be appointed at the discretion of the Bishop, at any time during the session of the Council, to consist of such members as the Bishop may direct:
 - (1) On Church Property, Parsonages and Clerical Support.
 - (2) Archives and Annals.
 - (3) The Supply of the Sacred Ministry.
 - (4) Beneficence and Works of Piety.
 - (5) Sunday Schools.
 - (6) The Episcopal Library.
 - (7) State Legislation.
- III. All Committees shall sit and deliberate in private, and the same rule shall apply to Tellers in the count of votes.

No report referred to any Committee shall be reported back for printing unless so directed by a vote of the Council, or unless the Committee recommend some legislation in regard thereto.

- IV. Motions, Notices and Resolutions to be considered by the Council may be presented after the President has appointed the Standing Committees, and called for the matters to be respectively referred to them. But the Bishop's Address shall take precedence of all other business at any time.
- V. The Evening Session on the first day shall open at 7:30 with Evening Prayer or the Litany; then shall follow the Bishop's address, if he so desires.
- VI. On the second day—After a celebration of the Holy Communion at an hour fixed by the Bishop—the order of business shall be as follows, beginning at 9:00 A. M.:
 - (1) Reading of minutes.
 - (2) Elections.
 - (3) Reports of Standing Committees of the Council.
 - (4) Reports of Special Committees.
 - (5) Unfinished business, motions, resolutions and miscellaneous business.

The Council shall take a recess from 12:30 to 2:00 P. M., and from 6:00 to 7:30 P. M.

- VII. On the third or other subsequent day—the order of business shall be as directed by the Council.
- VIII. Every member who shall be present when a question is stated from the Chair, shall vote thereon, unless excused by the House.
- IX. No motion shall be put or debated until it is seconded, and when seconded, it shall be stated by the President before debate; and every motion shall be reduced to writing, when required by the President, or by any member.
- X. If a question in debate contains distinct propositions, one or more, they may be separated at the call of any member into so many several motions.
- XI. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received, except (1) to lay the motion on the table, (2) to postpone it indefinitely, (3) to postpone it to a certain time, (4) to commit it, or (5) to

amend; and motions for these purposes shall have precedence in the order thus named.

XII. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, when no member is speaking, and shall be decided without debate; and if it be negatived, it shall not be renewed until other business has been treated in due order.

XIII. A motion to lay on the table shall be decided without debate.

XIV. A question, being put by the President, shall be determined by the sound of voices; but any member may require a count of the vote; or previous to a decision by count, any three members may require the yeas and nays to be taken, which shall be done by calling the names of the Clerical members, and the names of the Churches and Missions represented; and the vote shall be recorded in the Journal. Or the yeas and nays may be taken by order on the call of any five members, and when so taken the vote shall be recorded in like manner.

XV. No member except the mover may speak more than twice on the same question without leave of the House.

XVI. A question once decided, shall not be reconsidered during the same session without the consent of two-thirds of the votes of the Council, nor without the motion for that purpose being made by one of the majority on said decision. No question shall be reconsidered more than once.

XVII. Special Committees not otherwise provided for shall be appointed by the Chair.

XVIII. Except by the votes of two-thirds of the persons present entitled to vote, no standing rule or order shall be suspended, changed or rescinded.

XIX. Before the final adjournment of any session of the Council, the minutes of the last day's proceedings shall be read, corrected and approved.

XX. If the Bishop of the Diocese be not present, and able to preside; or the Episcopate be vacant; then, in the absence of the Secretary of the preceding Council, the Council shall be called to order by the President or Senior Presbyter of the Standing Committee present, who shall preside until the Council has been organized. Then a President pro tempore shall be elected from among the Presbyters present, who shall make the appointments ordinarily assigned to the Bishop, or under his direction.

ADDENDA

Matter received too late for publication in preceding pages.

Letter from Bishop Brent

Chaplain's Office, G. H. Q., A. E. F.,

June 1, 1918.

Dear Mr. Burrows:

I received your cable conveying to me the affectionate greetings of the Council last Monday upon my return from the front. It was good to get the message. I am also both relieved and happy over your decision to elect a Bishop Coadjutor. The great uncertainty that wraps the future makes it a wise step. My conclusion to advise it came slowly but when I reached it I felt certain it was the proper course to pursue. I have had it on my conscience that you had been kept six months already without regular Episcopal care through me. Now I know that this will speedily be remedied. Whomever you choose will be my choice and I shall look forward to the day when we shall work together.

Yours very faithfully,

C. H. BRENT, Bishop of Western New York.

The Rev. G. Sherman Burrows, B. D., Secretary of the Council of Western New York.

Joint Committee on Missionary Apportionment

(Appointed by the Standing Committee.)
The Rev. William A. R. Goodwin, D. D.
(Appointed by Diocesan Council.)

The Rev.'s C. J. Davis, C. M. Sills, D. D., D. L. Ferris, J. Kates, H. F. Zwicker, C. A. Jessup, D. D., Messrs. E. G. Miner, J. G. Buckley, A. B. Houghton, J. W. Crafts, W. E. Townsend, Dr. M. D. Mann.

Changes by Letters Dimissory

TRANSFERRED.

Aitkins, Frank E. Cowley-Carroll, Hubert Fosbroke, Houghton Snell, Laird Wingate Thompson, Wallace F.

RECEIVED.

McCausland, John Anson McGinnis, Adelbert

Parochial Reports

ADDISON—(Steuben County.) (R.)—CHURCH OF THE RE-DEEMER. The Rev. Hobart L. Marvin, Rector Wardens, D. M. Darrin, Almon Beeman. Treasurer, Fred G. Clark. Clerk, D. M. Darrin.

Baptisms, Child, 2; Marriages, 2; Burials, 8; Baptized persons, 118; Communicants, 80; Candidates for Orders, 1; Daily offices, Sundays, 85; Other days, 24; Holy Communion, Sundays, 67; Holy Days, 8; Private, 3; Sunday School Officers, 2; Teachers, 3; Pupils, 16; Guilds, 3.

Receipts—For Parish Support, \$1,303.65; For Special Parochial Purposes, \$12.34; Total, \$1,315.99.

Expenditures—Current Expenses, \$1,143.88; Other Parochial Expenses, \$53.53; Diocesan Expenditures, \$93.39; Parish Guilds, \$3.25; Total, \$1,294.05.

Property—Endowment, \$3,513.72; Church, \$10,000.00; Rectory, \$2,500.00; Furniture, \$828.83; Total, \$13,328.83. Insurance, \$3,700.00. Sittings, free, 200.

BATAVIA—(Genesee County.) (R.)—ST. JAMES' CHURCH. The Rev. Alfred Brittain, Rector. Wardens, F. B. Redfield, F. S. Wood. Treasurer, H. S. Vaughan. Clerk, W. G. Pollard.

Baptisms—Children, 26, Adults, 5; Confirmed, 38; Marriages, 12; Burials, 28; Baptized Persons, 880; Communicants, 600; Daily Offices, Sundays, 70; Holy Days, 12; Other Days, 16; Holy Communion, Sundays,

83; Holy Days, 8; Other Days, 28; Private, 3; Sunday School, Officers, 7; Teachers, 21; Pupils, 230; Bible Class Teachers, 2; Guilds, 8.

Receipts—For Parish Support, \$10,691.53; For Special Parochial Purposes, \$1,199.12; For Purposes Outside the Parish, \$561.63; Parish Guilds, \$1,009.64; Total, \$13,461.92.

Expenditures—Current Expenses, \$5,303.49; Other Parochial Expenses, \$6,009.45; Diocesan Expenditures, \$240.00; Extra Diocesan, \$676.75; Guilds, \$232.23; Total, \$13,461.92.

Property—Endowment, \$46,775.00; Debt, \$24,790.00; Church, \$89,000.00; Rectory, \$8,000.00; Parish House, \$12,000.00; Total, \$109,000.00. Sittings in Church, 750; in Chapel, 40.

LOCKPORT—(Niagara County.) (B.)—ALL SAINTS' CHURCH. The Rev. H. Irvine Lynds, Vicar. Clerk, Julius F. Frehsee.

Baptisms—Child, 3; Adult, 4; Confirmed, 1; Marriages, 3; Burials, 9; Communicants, 71; Daily Offices, Sundays, 156; Other Days, 6; Holy Communion, Sundays, 64; Private, 5; Sunday School, Officers, 6; Teachers, 5; Pupils, 52.

Receipts—For Parish Support, \$963.65; For Special Parochial Purposes, \$756.70; For Purposes Outside the Parish, \$64.95.

Expenditures—Current Expenses, \$839.41; Other Parochial Expenses, \$856.88; Extra Diocesan, \$77.00.

Property—Church, \$5,000.00; Rectory, \$2,800.00; Parish House, \$5,500.00; Land, \$1,800.00; Total, \$15,110.00. Insurance, \$7,900.00.

ROCHESTER—(Monroe County.) (R.)—CHRIST CHURCH. The Rev. David Lincoln Ferris, B. D., Rector. The Rev. Frank Ellas Bissell, Curate. Wardens, Frank A. Ward, Albert C. Walker. Treasurer, Frank A. Ward, 12 Grove Place. Clerk, Eugene C. Denton, 232 Powers Building.

Baptisms—Infant, 44; Adult, 4; Confirmed, 46; Marriages, 34; Burials, 41; Baptized Persons, 2,693; Communicants, 1,024; Daily Offices, Sundays, 105; Holy Days, 18; Other Days, 36; Holy Communion, Sundays, 66; Holy Days, 14; Other Days, 7; Private, 38; Sunday School, Officers, 48; Teachers, 27; Pupils, 249; Bible Classes, Teachers, 3; Members, 342.

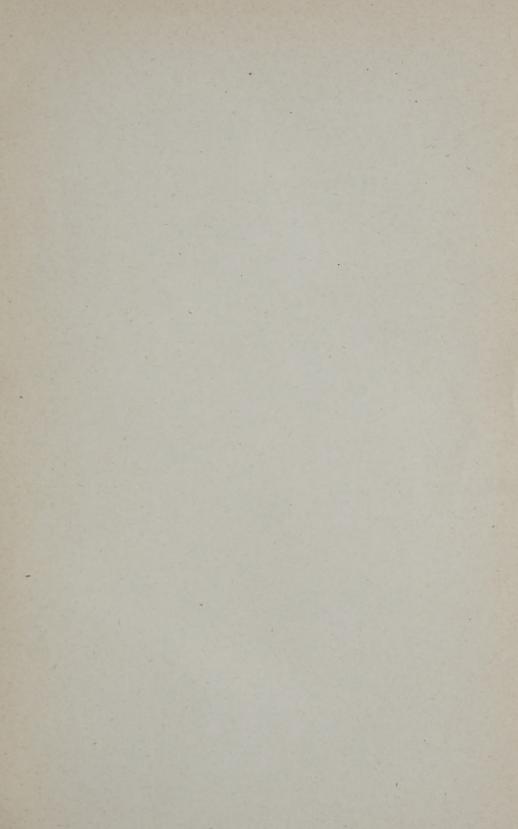
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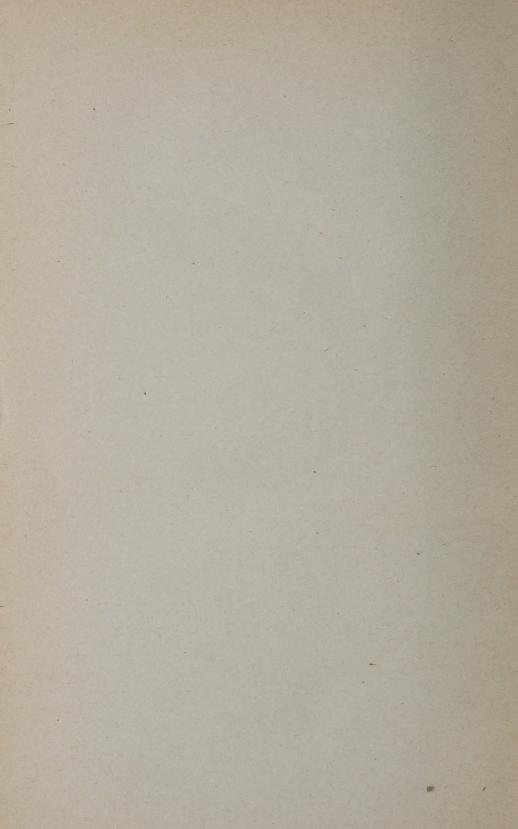
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